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Deerwood Street residents protest sewer line impacts

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor



JERI & BILL WINGFIELD: In the dark shade behind is the fence separating the homes on Deerwood Street. These trees and others -- incuding massive oaks and pines -- are threatened by a new regional sewer line planned for the corridor on which they stand above.

It was a perfect day – over 100 degrees – for residents of Deerwood Street to make a case for the survival of their shade trees.

Activist Jeri Wingfield and others scheduled an "afternoon tea" at the Hughes home on the 1700-block of that street Thursday to show guests why a new sewer line project needs to spare the large trees that line the open space corridor that borders their homes to the west. The street runs north from River City High School. An environmental impact report released by the "Lower Northwest Interceptor" project states that some of the trees will have to go as the new regional sewer line comes in.

The "interceptor" line is planned to bring sewage from Sacramento's Natomas area on an arc across the river, south through West Sacramento and back to the treatment plant in Elk Grove – thus avoiding the necessity of digging up developed, urban areas of Sacramento to make way for the sewage line. On its way, the lines will pick up West Sacramento's sewage – relieving the city of the necessity of building a new plant to serve growing West Sacramento.

But part of the line's new path involves the corridor behind the homes owned by the Hughes and Wingfield families.

Wingfield said she wants the pipes to find a new path.

"We had no idea about the reality of how they were going to do this," she said Friday. "We had no idea we were going to lose all these trees, and the idea of losing 288 of them in the City of West Sacramento as a whole just struck us in the heart."

Wingfield said that the project's sponsors are now negotiating to buy the back 11 feet of the parcels owned by her and her neighbors.

"Then they said they were going to pay us this much for that oak tree, and this much for that oak tree, and we said 'whoa,' " Wingfield related. The trees are valuable both for their afternoon shade and for the ambience they bring to her "wooded corridor."

John Buttz, a consultant working for the Lower Northwest Interceptor project, told the News-Ledger that planners are trying to accommodate the residents' needs as well as possible.

"We've had a couple of trips out there with an arborist," said Buttz. "We've gone tree by tree and analyzed which ones we'll be able to save. We're optimistic we can save some of those trees. I don't have the exact information right now, but next week, we'll be sending those residents a letter with the exact numbers and very specific answers."

River Fest



City of West Sacramento employee Jon Robinson catches his breath after completing the grueling 'River Otter Amphibious Race' ('ROAR') this weekend. The land & water course included crossing the Tower Bridge, the Sacramento River, a treacherous mud pit manufactured near the Broderick Boat Ramp. Jon was a member of the 'Dauntless Dirigible' entry (above, left) created as West Sacramento's entry; it fell in 'Mayor's Cup' competition to the design from Sacramento this year. The race was among other activities, including speed boat races, held along the river over the weekend. *Courtesy of Art Schroeder, City of W. Sac.*

McDonalds among first in new wave in Southport

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

The McDonalds Corporation won permission from West Sacramento's planning commission on Thursday to build a McDonald's restaurant, convenience stor, gas station and car wash near the corner of Jefferson Boulevard and Lake Washington Boulevard in West Sacramento's rapidly-growing Southport area. The development, which will include a two-lane drive through for the restaurant, comes over the objections of at least a handful of area residents who spoke out at Thursday's meeting.

"I think the general consensus was that most of the folks would prefer to see a higher order of restaurant at the site," said David Tilley, an associate planner in the city's community development department. "They were concerned about setting a trend that if this were the first commercial development to go into Southport, they weren't setting the bar too high."

The property sits north of the Club Pheasant restaurant, and northeast of what will eventually be the four-way intersection of Jefferson and Lake Washington. It is zoned properly for the restaurant, although the planned drive-through lanes require a "conditional use permit," as granted by the planning commission Thursday.

Suspect flees, K-9 bites

West Sacramento officers pursued a stolen car to Sacrament's Del Paso Heights, where a wanted man was apprehended after a chase. The incident happened shortly after midnight Wednesday night, beginning near Third and C streets in West Sacramento's northeast.

"A graveyard shift patrol officer ran the plates of a white Dodge caravan, and it was returned as 'stolen.' " said Detective Amy Weirich of the West Sacramento Police Department. "The sole occupant fled in the vehicle when the officer tried to pull the vehicle over. Officers pursued the vehicle into the Del Paso Heights area, where the suspect crashed into a fire hydrant. The driver then fled on foot."

Weirich said several West Sacramento police units – including one with a police dog – and Sacramento authorities converged.

"The K-9 officer and his dog partner pursued the fleeing suspect, who was bit by the dog and taken into custody," added Weirich.

A police report indicates the suspect was Algerey McKinley, 39, who refused to give his address.

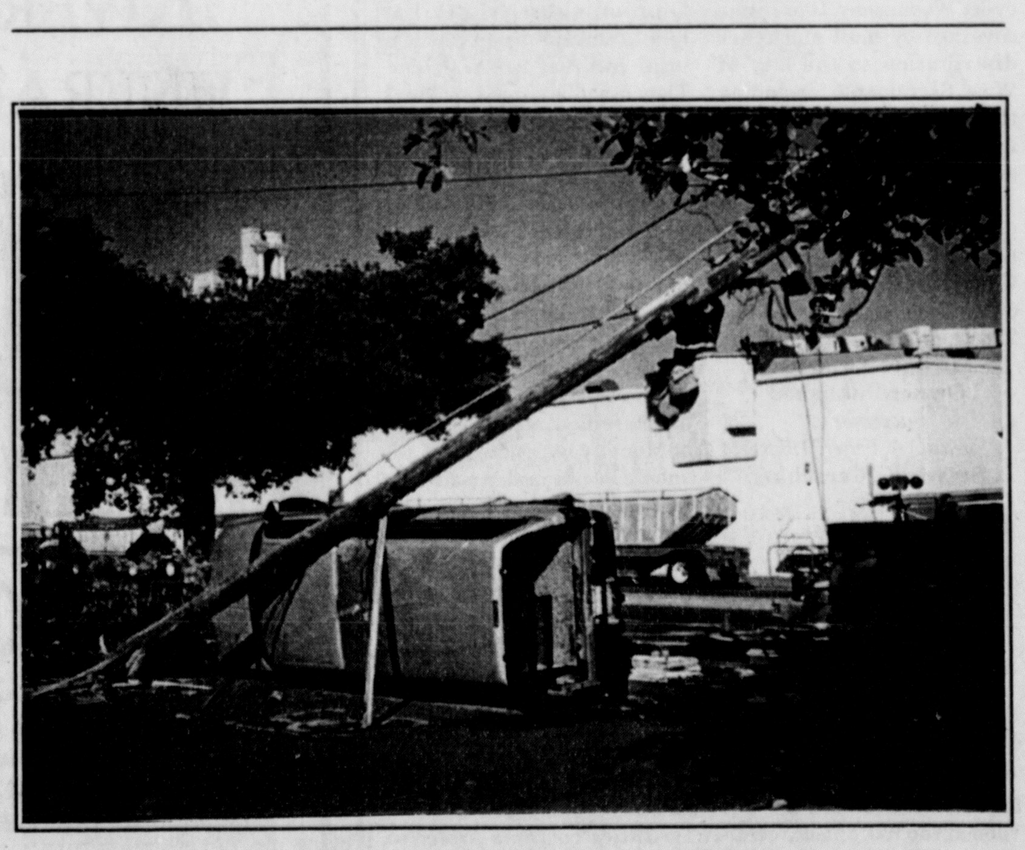
"McKinley was arrested for possessing stolen property, the stolen vehicle, for felony evasion, and for being an ex-felon in possession of a firearm (since a gun was found in the van). There was an outstanding warrant for him in Sacramento for being an ex-felon in possession of a firearm as well. And he was wanted in connection with a 'home invasion' robbery case in West Sacramento on July 5, involving a motel room at the Welcome Grove Motel."

'Joy' ride

A pair of teenagers ended up in juvenile hall Sunday after allegedly stealing a pickup truck, clipping another vehicle, and taking out a utility pole. The accident caused major damage to a West Sacramento couple's truck – and a local power blackout from the trashed utility pole.

Police records indicate that a couple in the southern Bridgeway Island subdivision left their pickup truck running with its air conditioning on for a few minutes while they went back inside their house – and when they came back out at around 2:15 p.m., the truck was gone.

The well equipped, full-size work truck was then driven northbound on Jefferson Blvd., with at least two unauthorized teens inside piloting it. They sideswiped another car – whose angry driver, cell phone in tow, began pursuit of the stolen truck to the Stone Blvd. area.



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The suspects ran over a transformer box and utility pole, leaving the truck on its side, and fled on foot.

Officers arrived and gave chase. One 16-year old resisted arrest and a baton was used on him, causing minor injuries before he was subdued and arrested.

An officer "assisted" the other one to the ground, where he, too was arrested. Both received a medical examination and were taken to juvenile hall.

Fire on Park Blvd.

A Park Blvd. home suffered major damage after a fire – possibly caused by arcing power lines – started on Thursday. But Division Chief Gary Soto of the West Sacramento Fire Department stressed that investigation of the fire's cause is not complete.

The fire was reported shortly after 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, said Soto, on the 1600-block of Park.

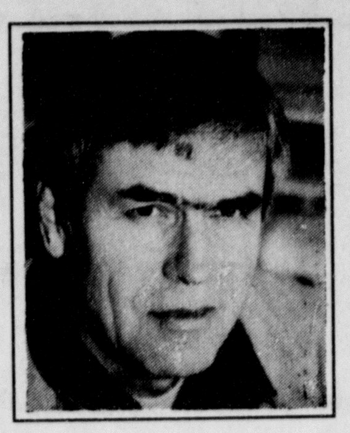
"The owner was in the back of the home, either lying down or sleeping, and heard somebody pounding on his door," said Soto. "When he came out to see what was going on, the guy was yelling, 'Your house is on fire!' "

The homeowner checked inside the garage and saw no signs of fire, but went outside and saw electricity arcing from power lines nearby, and saw the structure fire. Firefighters, too, noted the arcing power lines, said Soto.

The fire was extinguished by firefighters, who had been called by the passerby as well as by the crew of an ambulance in the neighborhood at the time. Structural damage was estimated at $70,000, and damage to the home's contents another $20,000, said Soto.

Doing the impossible: taking a family vacation

My Back Pages



By Daryl Fisher

When you have four children (as I do) who range in age from 17 to 28, it is almost impossible to somehow gather them all up at one time, drag them away from their busy lives, and have a family vacation. But being the brave soul that my wife is, last weekend she rented a little house a few miles north of Bodega Bay on the Sonoma Coast and told them all to somehow show up there by Friday night or else. The excuses why they couldn't possibly make it were numerous and varied (one didn't want to be away from his girlfriend for that long, another couldn't envision having no access to a computer for three whole days, etc.), but when the dust had finally settled, there they were, my beloved offspring, all four of them, under the same roof, and apparently (however reluctantly) having a pretty good time.

As for me, I had no idea that renting a little house on the ocean for a weekend had so many rules and regulations. Parking was limited to four cars (we had five, but the car-police never stopped by to check on us), you couldn't have more than six people in the house at any one given time (my oldest son brought his girlfriend and my daughter dragged along her boyfriend, so we had to live in fear of "being over the limit" all weekend), and under no circumstances could you bring along a pet (which meant I had to take my poor little dog over to my brother's house, although from all the reports I've received since I returned, he apparently had more fun there than he ever does at home).

Plus there were all these neatly typed "no-no" signs taped to the walls everywhere telling you not to use certain pillows, or flush away too much of the well water, or immediately report this or that problem, and definitely not to move the furniture to new and more exciting locations.

Anyway, the place had a nice hot tub, the ocean was just a short walk away, and the weather was spectacular (especially considering that West Sacramento was in the middle of a humid heat wave the entire time we were gone). By Sunday morning, everyone seemed to agree that we were indeed in paradise, and that we should do it more often, although like most families with their kids beginning to scatter to the wind, we all more or less knew we probably never would.

As the weekend wore on, I found myself in desperate need of something to read other than the local newspaper, so I picked up the 'visitors book', and here are just a few of the entries I found entertaining:

"Had a great time. Only problem was that I hit a deer on my way in, smashed up my car, and killed the poor thing."

"My husband keeps running around the place cleaning everything -- Felix Unger lives!"

"Dave and Sherry did it in the hot tub -- listening to Tom Waits."

"A poor quail flew into the front window last night and scared the heck out of us. We couldn't help thinking of "The Birds", that stupid Alfred Hitchcock's movie that was filmed just down the road."

"We absolutely loved our testosterone-free weekend! No men, just us crazy wenches getting away from the day-to-day grind of being wives."

"Just wanted you to know we did illegal fireworks on the beach and didn't get caught."

"We froze our butt off! Guess we picked the wrong weekend."

"I don't want to sound upset, disappointed, or unhappy, but the home was not really clean or well-supplied. My family is really picky about things being clean, and we were not left any cleaning supplies, or access to a vacuum, and there were not enough pillow cases or towels. Thank goodness we brought our own toilet paper.

PS -- I was also upset about all the rat poison lying around."

"Well, here we are again. Five years later for another 'Girl's Getaway'. We are all older, wiser, and a lot heavier."

"I was taken by surprise by a cute little mouse in the kitchen, but he liked the cheese we put in the mousetrap, and is now in mouse heaven."

"Had a great time with the exception of a big, ugly bird flying into the house. Thought we would never get the darn thing out. He may have pooped a few times before we were successful."

"There are approximately eight raccoons living under your house. One got into the trash can last night and made quite a mess. You need to put a lid on it!"

"Just wanted you to know I am no longer a virgin!"

With the exception of the house's overdone nautical theme (there were lighthouse lamps, fish nets, boat oars, ceramic sailors, and little boats inside of bottles everywhere), I actually found myself becoming quite fond of our little rented house on the ocean.

More importantly, it was great to have all the kids under the same roof again -- even if for just a few days -- and as I sat on a warm, sandy beach and took in a gorgeous sunset on my last night there, I was reminded of what an old Army friend of mine had once told me about the power of the ocean to put everything into it's proper perspective, and it went something like this:

"We Americans all think we have so many problems, when in reality, we're pretty much the luckiest people on the face of this earth. And when I find myself thinking that life ain't going so well, I just find myself a stretch of ocean beach, sit down, and watch the waves come in. Then I remind myself that those very same waves have been washing in for millions and millions of years, and that they're going to keep on washing in long after I'm dead and gone, and that in the overall scheme of things, me and my puny little problems just aren't really all that important."

Farmers' Market



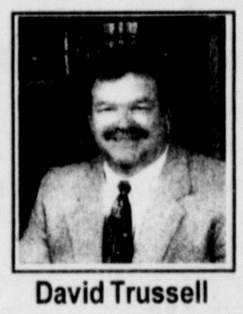
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David Trussell

I am going to change venue a little this week because something came across my e-mail I thought too important not to pass on. The following is just good old advice you just don't think about, but important all the same.

A corporate attorney sent the following out to the employees in his company:

*The next time you order checks have only your initials (instead of first and last name put on them). If someone takes your check book they will not know if you sign your checks with just your initial or your first name but your bank will know how you sign your checks. *When you are writing checks to pay on your credit card accounts. DO NOT put the complete account number on the "For" line. Instead just put the last four numbers. The credit card company knows the rest of the numbers. * Put your work number on the checks instead of home. Never SS numbers. * Place the contents of your wallet on a photocopy machine, do both sides of each license, credit card, etc. put in safe place. * We have been told we should cancel our credit card immediately if your credit cards are stolen. But the key is having the toll free numbers and your card numbers handy so you know whom to call. Keep those where you can find them easily. * File a police report immediately in the jurisdiction where it was stolen, this proves to credit providers you were diligent, and is a first step toward an investigation (if there is ever one). * But perhaps the most important is to call the three national credit-reporting organizations immediately to place a fraud alert on your name and Social Security number. The alert means any company that checks your credit knows your information was stolen and they have to contact you by phone to authorize new credit.

The numbers are:
Equifax: 1-800-525-6285
Experian (formerly TRW): 1-888-397-3742
Trans Union: 1-800-680-7289
Social Security Administration Fraud Line: 1-800-269-0271

With identity theft on the rise, it is important to know how to protect yourself when something like this happens to you or someone you know. Equally important is to create a file so that you have a complete document trail of everything you have done to exonerate yourself. When applying for a home loan these documents are extremely important and can save time when processing your loan.

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Obituaries

Karroll "Hep" Hepner

Karroll Hepner passed away peacefully in Sacramento on July 17, 2003 surrounded by his loving wife of 15 years, Sandy (Heppy) and his children. He was a native of Ohio, born October 13, 1934.

Mr. Hepner was the father of Julie (Al) Greer and Scott (Bonnie) Hepner of California; Holly (Juan) Ramoz and Carrie Hepner of Ohio; and stepchildren Tracy (Mike) Galaviz, Michelle (Tony) King, Laurie Kirby, Scott Coppock, and Steve (Patty) Coppock of Ohio. He is also survived by 15 grandchildren and three great grandchildren, and brother Carl (Carol) Hepner of Ohio.

Mr. Hepner was an Army veteran and devoted 27 years of service to Ramos Oil Company. He touched the lives of many with his kindness, sense of humor, and love for life. He will be truly missed by all those who knew and loved him.

A celebration of Mr. Hepner's life was held on July 20, 2003, in the River Cities Funeral Chapel in West Sacramento. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the American Heart Association.

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—Benjamin Disraeli
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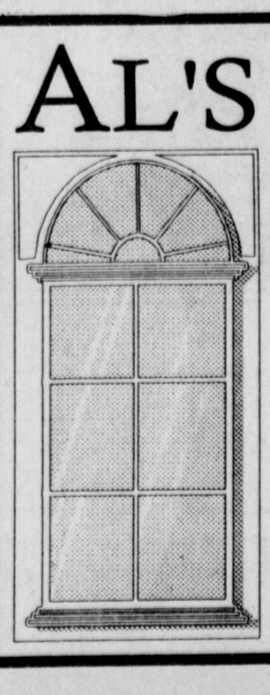
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'Across the Bridge':

Events around the West Sac region

Quilt show

The 23rd Annual Antique Quilt and Vintage Clothing Show will be held during the months of August and September in the Folsom History Museum at 823 Sutter Street from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily. Along with antique quilts, there will also be vintage fashions and accessories. For more information, visit www.folsomhistorymuseum.org.

Koi health seminar

Sacramento's Camellia Koi Club will be sponsoring the 2003 Koi Health Seminar on July 27th from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Parasites, fungal disease, bacteria disease, viral disease, and other problems will be discussed. The event will be held at the Rocklin Library, 5460 5th Street in Rocklin. For cost and other information, call 922-2525.

Storytellers event

The Sacramento Storytellers Guild will present *Summer Adventures*, a storytelling performance for grown-ups about the good ol' summertime on August 14th at 7:30 p.m. at the Ethel M. Hart Senior Center, 27th and J Streets. Admission is free and donations are accepted. For more information, call 331-5523.

Race for the arts

On August 3rd *Race for the Arts* will hold its 5km Run/Walk (& Children's Fun Runs) at CSU, Sacramento, 6000 J Street. Pledges will go to nonprofit visual, performing and cultural arts organizations or school music, drama and art programs of your choice. For more information, call 974-0786, 933-4056, or visit www.raceforhearts.com.

1/4 mile dirt oval racing

It was 23 years ago when the last checkered flag fell at West Capitol Speedway where the racing was always fast, furious, and side-by-side. The tradition continues, however, with Sacramento Raceway hosting dirt oval racing on the following dates: August 29, September 19, November 15 and November 29. Gates open at 4:30 p.m. and the first race is a 7 p.m. General admission is $10, pit passes are $25, and race entry is $35. Sacramento Raceway is located at 5303 Excelsior Road in Sacramento. Call 366-7368 for more information.

Ice Cream Safari at the zoo

The 19th Annual Ice Cream Safari at the Sacramento Zoo will take place on July 26th from 4-8 p.m. Have a brain-freezing good time with delicious Dreyer's Ice Cream, soft drinks, live entertainment and face painting. This event benefits the Sacramento Zoological Society education programs. General admission for this popular fundraiser is $15 (children 3-12 $12).

The Sacramento Zoo is located near the corner of Land Park Drive and Sutterville Road in William Land Park.

Shakespeare festival

The Sacramento Shakespeare Festival, produced by City Theatre at Sacramento City College, will present *Twelfth Night* and *Othello* in William Land Park from June 27 to August 3. "Shakespeare Lite", 45 minute versions of *A Midsummer Night's Dream, The Tempest*, and *The Two Gentlemen of Verona*, will be performed at St. Rose of Lima Park from June 5-10. For more information, call 558-2173.

Alzheimer's society meets

The Alzheimer's Aid Society of Northern California Support Group for the Memory Impaired will meet the 2nd and 4th Wednesday in July at 10:30 a.m. at the Alzheimer's Aid Society Office, 2641 Cottage Way, Suite #4 in Sacramento. For more information on other related groups and meetings, call 448-7001.

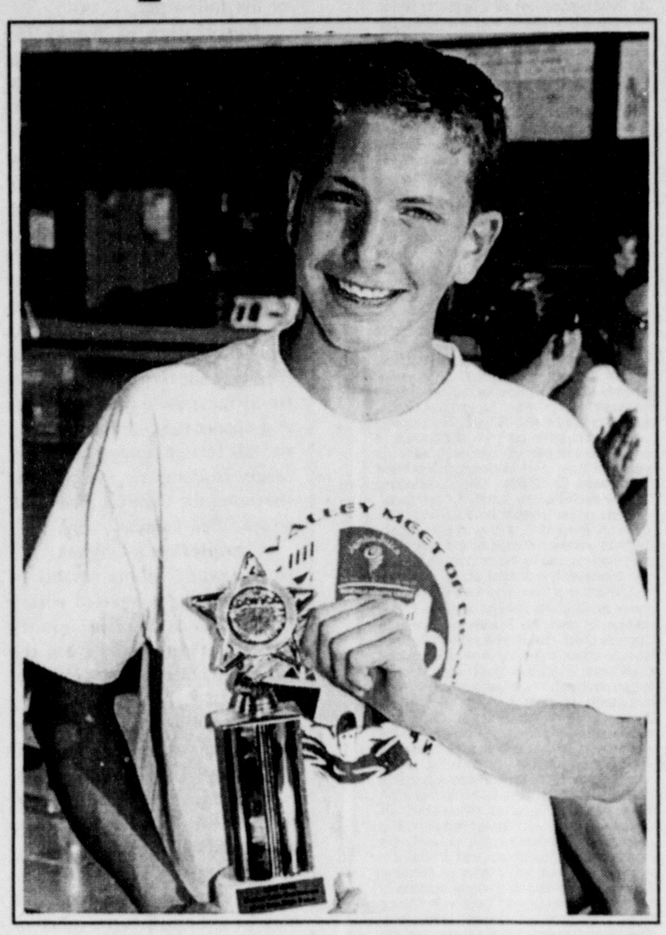
Widowed persons meet

The Widowed Persons Association of California encourages widowed men and women to come to Sunday Support get-togethers each Sunday from 3-5 p.m. at the Widowed Persons Association office, located at 2628 El Camino Avenue, Suite D-18.

Activities include bowling, brown bag opera, needle and thread, breakfasts, dinners, golf, card games, dancing and traveling. For more information, call 972-9722.

A gentleman is the one who never hurts anyone's feelings unintentionally.
—Oscar Wilde

Dolphins win



West Sacramento's 'Dolphins' swim club won the Nor Cal Mother Lode Conference championship last weekend, with a victory over second-place Rio Vista at Oakmont High School in Roseville.

The Dolphins had five swimmers among the high-point champions: Laura Tafoya, for age 6 & under girls; Brittany Rojo, 9-10 girls; Derek Wampler, 9-10 boys; Alyssa Lang, 11-12 girls; and Andrew Lang, 13-14 boys.

It was the Dolphins' second conference championship in a row.

Above is the Dolphins' high point winner Andrew Lang, who set a conference record for the 50-yard freestyle event.

Photo by Barry Blacklaw



Theodore Roosevelt was the first President to ride in an automobile. He toured Hartford, Ct. in a Columbia Electra Victoria on August 22, 1902.

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High heels were invented by a woman who had been kissed on the forehead.
—Christopher Morely

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The toughest thing about success is that you've got to keep on being a success.
—Irving Berlin

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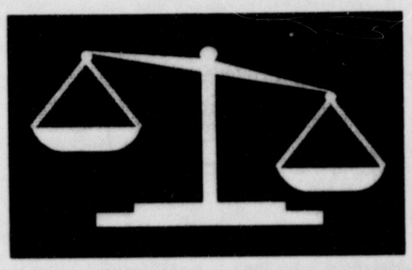
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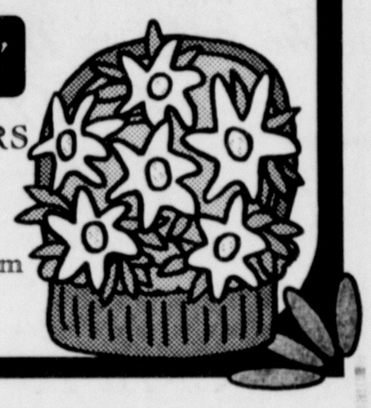


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Sports QUIZ
by Chris Richcreek

1. When Mike Bordick broke the major-league record for errorless games by a shortstop in 2002, whose mark did he eclipse?
2. Who was the last Philadelphia Phillies player to lead the National League in doubles for a season before Bobby Abreu did it in 2002?
3. Who was the last Pittsburgh Steelers receiver before Hines Ward in 2001-02 to have consecutive 1,000-yard seasons?
4. When was the last time a men's Division I college basketball team ranked No. 1 during the season missed the NCAA Tournament?
5. Who was the first NHL goaltender to post four 40-win seasons?
6. Name the two race-car drivers who, entering 2003, had won four IROC titles each.
7. Who beat top-ranked Martina Hingis in the first round at Wimbledon in 1999?

Answers on back page

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Apr 28, 2003
File No. 2003-404

The following person is doing business as El Torito Meat Mkt #2, 3073 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento CA.

Carniceria El Torito, 725 East St., Woodland CA 95776.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/28/03.

/s/Lilia Carrillo, Secty.
Carniceria El Torito

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, County Clerk
Date: Apr 28, 2003
by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

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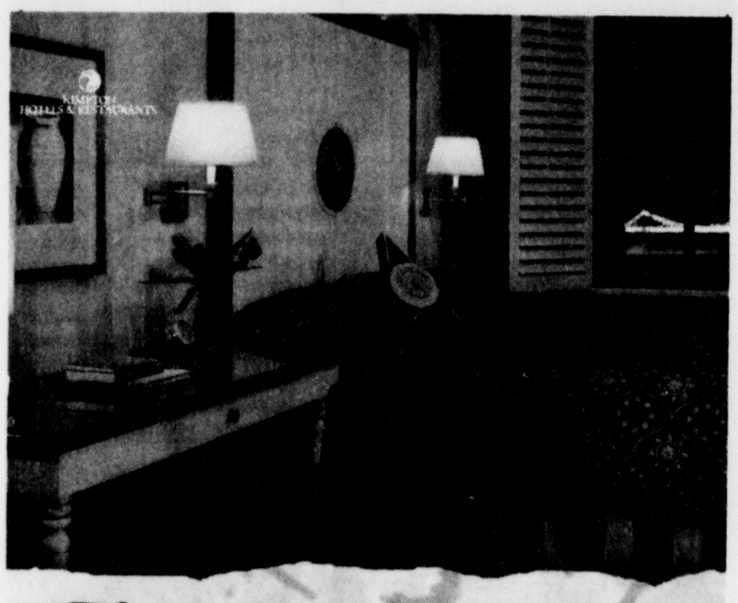
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YOLO
In the Matter of CORNELIUS TYE, Minor
NO: JV-03-00127
CITATION

TO: Tonya Tye, Sheldon Tigner Sr., All Persons Claiming to be the Father of the above named minor:

YOU ARE HEREBY CITED AND REQUIRED TO APPEAR at a Hearing in Yolo County Juvenile Court, located at 725 Court Street, Woodland, California, 95695, on September 3, 2003 at 10:30 A.M. in Department 4. At the hearing, the Court will decide whether to permanently terminate your parental rights over the above-named minor born on 3/28/03. If you wish to be represented by an attorney and are unable to afford one, the Court will appoint an attorney to represent you.

Dated: 7/3/03
DONNA M. PETRE
Judge of the Juvenile Court

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST File: A-6280 Loan: 001-0202203571 Other: 2691708 Investor Loan #: – A.P. Number 045-671-061 You are in default under a Deed of Trust, dated February 20, 2002 unless you take action to protect your property, it may be sold at a public sale. If you need an explanation of the nature of the proceeding against you, you should contact a lawyer. Notice is hereby given that Ronald D. Roup, a Law Corporation, as trustee, or successor trustee, or substituted trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by William R. Johnson Jr. and Linda Tillman-Johnson husband and wife, as Joint Tenants Recorded on 02/26/2002 as Instrument No. 2002-0008459-00 in Book – Page – of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, California, and pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded 12/19/2002 in Book –, Page –, as Instrument No. 56053 of said Official Records, will Sell on 07/30/2003 at the rear entrance to the City Hall Building 1110 West Capitol Avenue WE Sacramento, CA at 12:00 noon at public auction to the highest bidder for cash (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State hereinafter described: As more fully described on said Deed of Trust. The property address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3421 Martinique Street West Sacramento, CA 95691. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: $34,556.12. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. In the event tender other than cash is accepted the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed, advances thereunder, with interest as provided therein, and the unpaid principal balance of the Note secured by said Deed with interest thereon as provided in said Note, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee and the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. **Ronald D. Roup, a Law Corporation, as said Trustee**, 23101 Lake Center Drive, Suite #320, Lake Forest, CA, 92630 (949)472-2366 By: Ronald D. Roup, a Law Corp., Substituted Trustee Dated: – ASAP546338 07/09, 07/16, 07/23

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The West Sacramento City Council will conduct a public hearing on August 6, 2003 at 7:30 PM or as soon thereafter as possible on the following. The hearing will be held in the council chambers at the Civic Center, 1110 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento. Interested persons are invited to attend. In compliance with the ADA, if you need assistance to participate in this meeting, you should contact the City Clerk at 617-4500. Notification 72 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting. City hall is handicapped accessible.

Resolution 03-74 amending the Book of City Imposts for the Galleria Use Fee Schedule.

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INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Director of Community Development, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, California until **10:00 a.m. local time on Tuesday, August 26, 2003** at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the:

Jefferson Boulevard Widening Project

The proposed work consists of the following:

Description of Work: The work consists of the widening of Jefferson Boulevard from 0.3 KM south of Linden Road (South) to Stone Boulevard from two lanes to four lanes. In addition, the work includes the placement of pavement; sidewalk; curb and gutter; a new bridge; a new bridge deck on the existing bascule bridge; triple box culvert; utility joint trench; storm drainage; water main and laterals; sewer main and laterals; landscaping; community wall; traffic signals, traffic stripes, pavement markings and all necessary traffic control; and all related components necessary to complete the work as shown on the Contract plans and/or specified herein.

Completion of Work: All work (except plant establishment) shall be completed **within three hundred and ninety (390) working days** from the date designated on the Notice to Proceed. All work, including plant establishment work shall be completed within four hundred and thirty (430) working days. Attention is directed to Order of Work of the Special Provisions and specified herein.

Obtaining Contract Documents: Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of the Director of Community Development, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, California. A copy of bid documents may be obtained at the office upon request and payment of $150.00 for full size plans and specifications or $75.00 for half size plans and specifications or may be mailed upon request and payment of and additional $30.00. The amount of the payment is non-refundable.

Submission of Proposals: All proposals must be submitted not later than the time prescribed. The bidder is wholly responsible to see that his bid is submitted at the time and place designated for the opening of bids. Any bid received after the time and date specified shall not be considered. Any bid may be withdrawn prior to the scheduled time for opening bids.

Each bid must conform and be responsive to this notice and shall be made on the official proposal forms furnished with the contract documents.

Attention is directed to the provisions of the Business and Professions Code Section 7028.15 which makes it a misdemeanor for any person without a valid contractors license (with specific exceptions) to submit a bid to act as a Contractor to a public agency.

Proposal Guarantee: Each proposal must be accompanied by cash, a cashier's check, certified check or bid bond, executed on the prescribed form, in an amount not less than ten (10) percent of the total bid price payable to the City of West Sacramento.

Bidders are hereby notified that in accordance with the provisions of Government Code Section 4590, securities may be substituted for any monies which the City may withhold pursuant to the terms of this Contract to ensure performance.

Construction License: The successful bidder must possess a current **Class "A" General Engineering** Contractor's License issued by the State of California.

Award: The award shall be made to the lowest responsible bidder whose proposal complies with the specified requirements. The award of Contract will be made by the Director of Community Development, and the Contractor shall execute the Contract within ten (10) days after he has received the Contract from the City.

The City reserves the right to waive any irregularity in the proposals. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the opening of bids.

Rejection of Bids: The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Any bid not conforming to the intent and purpose of the Contract documents may be rejected. The City reserves the right to make all awards in the best interest of the City.

Disqualification of Bidder: If there is a reason to believe that collusion exists among any bidders, none of the bids of the participants in such collusion will be considered and the City may likewise elect to reject all bids received.

Relief of Bidder: Attention is directed to the provisions of Public Contracts Code Section 5101 and following, concerning relief of bidders and in particular to the requirements therein that if the bidder claims a mistake was made in his bid, the bidder shall give the City written notice, within five (5) days after the opening of bids of the alleged mistake, specifying in the notice, in detail, how the mistake occurred.

Wage Rates: Bidders are hereby notified that the California Director of Industrial Relations has determined the general prevailing rate of wages for each craft, classification, or type of worker needed to execute the work.

It shall be mandatory for the Contractor and any subcontractor under him to pay not less than the said specified rates to laborers and workmen employed by them in the execution of the Contract.

Bonds: The successful bidder will be required to furnish a payment bond in an amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the Contract price, and a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the Contract price.

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF RUBY C. HULAN
CASE NUMBER PB03-177

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Ruby C. Hulan; Ruby Carol Hulan.

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Doris Hardy.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Doris Hardy be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on Aug. 26, 2003, at 8:30 a.m. at Dept. 7 at Yolo County Superior Court, 725 Court St., Woodland, CA 95695.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a "Request for Special Notice" (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A "Request for Special Notice" form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for Petitioner:
/s/Jennifer S. Rouse
2151 River Plaza Dr., #305
Sacramento CA 95833
(916) 641-0526

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YOLO
Estate of DANIEL PINKARD, JR., Decedent
NO. PB 03-35
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Kathleen R. Sylvia, Public Administrator of the County of Yolo, State of California, as administrator of the estate of Daniel Pinkard, Jr., will sell at private sale, subject to confirmation by the Superior Court of Yolo County, to the highest and best bidder, under the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned on August 27, 2003, at the hour of 10:30 a.m. or thereafter within the time allowed by law, at the Office of the Public Administrator of Yolo County at 400 Court Street, Woodland, California, all the right, title, interest and estate of said Daniel Pinkard, Jr. in and to the real property located at 808 Inglewood Drive, West Sacramento, County of Yolo, California, and more particularly described as follows:

Lot 98, Elkhorn Village No. 3, according to the official plat thereof, filed for record in the office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, on November 4, 1954, in Book 5 of Maps, at page 6.

The terms of the sale shall be as follows:

1. Such purchase is subject to covenants, conditions, restrictions, reservations, rights, rights of way, easements, and encumbrances of record, and any existing deeds of trust.

2. Buyer shall pay for escrow costs.

3. Any examination of title, recording of conveyance, title insurance policy, and documentary transfer tax shall be at the expense of the Buyer.

4. Current taxes shall be prorated as of the date of confirmation of the sale.

5. A certified check payable to the undersigned in the amount of $1,000.00 shall be submitted with the bid, returnable if sale is not confirmed by the Superior Court. Upon confirmation of the sale by the Court, a certified check in an amount which, added to the initial deposit, equals ten percent (10%) of the total bid price, shall be submitted within twenty-four (24) hours of the date of confirmation of the sale by the Court. The combined amount of the certified checks shall be considered the total deposit for the purchase of the real property.

6. All bids and offers must be in writing and will be received at the Office of the Public Administrator of the County of Yolo, State of California, at 400 Court Street, Woodland, California, 95695, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

7. Sale is conditioned on confirmation by the Superior Court. The sale shall be returned to the Court for confirmation within thirty (30) days from the date of acceptance of the bid, and it shall be promptly set for hearing. On confirmation of sale and on payment of the balance of the purchase price, Seller shall deliver possession and a grant deed conveying all of the right, title and interest of the estate of the above-name decedent in the real property to the Buyer.

8. If escrow does not close within sixty (60) days of the Court confirmation of sale by reason of any default of Buyer, Seller will have the option of canceling the sale and retaining the full amount of the total deposit as liquidated damages.

9. The property is to be sold on an "as is" basis.

For further information and bid forms, apply at the Office of the Public Administrator of the County of Yolo.

Dated: July 15, 2003.
/s/Kathleen R. Sylvia, Yolo County Public Administrator
Richard L. Narver, Assistant Public Administrator
Administrator of the Estate of Daniel Pinkard, Jr.

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PUBLIC NOTICE NOTIFICATION OF WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT YOLO COUNTY FIVEV-YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN MODIFICATION SUMMARY

The Yolo County Workforce Investment Board has modified the Local Five-Year Strategic Plan to comply with State requirements under the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (WIA). WIA programs are administered by the Yolo County Department of Employment and Social Services (DESS) and services are provided through the One-Stop Career Centers in Woodland and West Sacramento. U.S. Department of Labor funding is provided through the California Employment Development Department as determined by the California Workforce Investment Division.

The initial Five-Year Plan was approved by the Yolo County Board of Supervisors in March 2000 and is now under review for the Fourth Year modification to the plan. A detailed summary of the plan modification as proposed by the Yolo County Workforce Investment Board is available by calling (530) 661-2920 or at www.yoloworks.org. Any persons who have questions or wish to comment on the plan modification may write to Christiana Smith at DESS, 25 N. Cottonwood Street, Woodland, CA 95695. Comments will be accepted from July 23 through August 27, 2003. Copies of the plan summary are available for review at the two DESS locations: 25 N. Cottonwood Street, Woodland and 500-A Jefferson Blvd., West Sacramento; between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. Monday through Friday.

July 23

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Trust thyself: Every heart vibrates to that inner string.
—Ralph Waldo Emerson

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It is better to ask some of the questions than to know all of the answers.
—James Thurber

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Take a two-mile walk every morning before breakfast.
—Harry S. Truman

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News-Ledger Directory *of* Local Places *of* Worship

Anna Street Baptist Church Rev. Norman Pollitt, 371-6560 1400 Anna St., W. Sac. Sunday School 10am Sunday Worship 11am Prayer Time Wed. 7pm http://www.forministry.com/95605ASBC	**Community Lutheran Church** Rev. Marjorie C. Beach, Pastor 920 Drever St., 371-8804 10am Worship/Sun. School Friendly, family, inclusive language. The 'come as you are' church.	**Seventh Day Adventist Church** H. Eugene Miller, Pastor, 334-9315 2860 Jefferson Blvd., W. Sac. PO Box 447, W. Sac. 95691 Sat. Sabbath School 9:30am Worship 11am 372-6570
First Baptist Church Gary Clements, Pastor Sun. Worship 9:45am Sun. eve. fellowship 6pm Jr/Sr High Youth Mon. 6:30pm Home Bible Studies Tues. 7pm Awana (K-6) Wed. 6:30pm Boy Scouts (11-18) Thurs. 6:30pm Men's Prayer Fllwship Sat. 8am 1511 Delaware Ave. 371-4061	**Trinity Presbyterian Church** 1500 Park Blvd., W. Sac. CA 95691 (916) 371-5875 Rev. Bradley Van Sant Services: Sun. 10 a.m.	**Holy Cross Catholic Church** 1321 Anna St. near Todhunter 371-1211 Rev. Chad Puthoff, SDS Sat. Vigil 5pm (English) Sun. 9 (English) Noon & 7pm (Spanish) Mon. 8:30am, Tues-Wed 7am, Thurs. 6:45 (Spanish) Fri. 8:30am
First Southern Baptist Church Pastor Michael Root Sun. School 9:30am Sun. Worship 11am, 6:30pm Wed. 6:30pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 2124 Michigan Blvd. 371-2111	**Southport Community Church** James Allerton, Pastor 2568 Industrial Blvd. Elem. School 9:30 a.m. Children's Programs Wkly Small Grp Bible Study Great Music www.southportcommunity.com 372-7818	**Westside Covenant Church** 371-3933 Meeting Sunday at 10 a.m. at Westfield Village Elementary School 508 Poplar Ave. West Sacramento
Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church 911 Park Blvd., 371-4814 Father James B. Walsh, Pastor Masses: Sat. Vigil 5:30pm Sunday 9 & 10:30am Weekdays 7am No Mass on Thursday	**The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints** 10am Sacrament Meeting 11:20am Sunday School 12:10pm Priesthood/Relief Society PUBLIC WELCOME! 373-1801	**Center for Spiritual Awareness** 1020 W. Capitol Ave. 374-9177 Sun. services 9 & 11 am Junior Church, 11 am Multicultural Gospel Choir Wed. 7 pm Peace Prayers *'The last place you should catch hell is in your church"*

Police log

July 18, 8:30 a.m.
A car parked on Carrie St. had three tires slashed the prior night. The car's owner suspected her ex-husband of the deed..

July 18, 11:30 a.m.
On Oakmont Way, a 1988 Toyota Camry was reported stolen. The car was recovered on Maple St.

July 18, 9:20 a.m.
A computer and other items were stolen from a Cedar St. garage.

July 18, 2:56 p.m.
An officer responded to a bomb threat at the high school. School officials were notified and a cursory search was made, turning up nothing unusual.

July 18, 3:47 p.m.
Near 6th and Andrew streets, an officer took a report of a strong-arm robbery. The victim knew the suspects and identified them from a high school yearbook's photos. Two officers located two of the suspects on Douglas St., and the 19-year old and the juvenile suspect were both arrested.

July 18, 7:22 p.m.
On Madrone Ave., an officer responded to a collision. A man driving westbound fast crashed after nearly hitting two kids in a front yard. His blood alcohol level tested at close to three times the level at which one is presumed intoxicated. He was booked.

July 19, 7:45 a.m.
A fire was started in a dumpster along 2nd Street.

July 19, 9 a.m.
A woman driving near the 200-block of West Capitol Ave. was stopped for a vehicle code violation. Because her driver's license had been suspended, her car was towed.

July 19, 1 p.m.
A West Sacramento woman arrived at a Sacramento hospital saying she may have been raped. She refused to allow an evidentiary exam and had no evident injuries or other evidence. The woman was on medication for psychological issues. She could not explain why she thought she had been raped. A report was taken.

July 19, 2 p.m.
Someone took all four wheels from a vehicle parked in front of a Triangle Court business.

July 19, 5:45 p.m.
An officer checking on an abandoned vehicle on Glide Ave. found that three kids, age 6, 11 and 13, were in a residence unsupervised, and the residence appeared unsafe for habitation. Child Protective Services was contacted and the residence was posted as uninhabitable. The children's mother was cited and released.

July 20, 10:30 a.m.
A shopper at a supermarket left her closed purse unattended in her grocery cart briefly, and came back to find her wallet stolen.

July 20, 4:10 p.m.
A man at a West Capitol Ave. motel was contacted regarding an altercation. He was arrested on a warrant, but resisted arrest. He was placed in the back of a patrol car, where he began head-butting the car's rear cage. He was removed, placed in a "wrap," and taken to be medically cleared and then booked.

July 20, 4:20 p.m.
A man was arrested after he ran from an officer who tried to arrest him for drinking in public. The suspect had several outstanding warrants.

July 20, 9:40 p.m.
On Lighthouse Dr., a caller reported that someone in an SUV fired a single shot at a pedestrian, who ran away.

July 21, 2:04 a.m.
A pregnant woman was taken from Halyard Dr. to a Sacramento hospital after she was injured by her boyfriend. She gave information about the assault, but refused to name him or say where he could be found.

New at the library

From Elise McCallan
Arthur F. Turner Branch Library
1212 Merkley Ave.

The Arthur F. Turner Branch Library has received the following new books:

"The Campfire Collection: Ghosts, Beasts, and Things That Go Bump in the Night" edited by Kit Duane.

"J. R. R. Tolkien: Architect of Middle Earth" by Daniel Grotta.

"The Dream: Martin Luther King, Jr. and the Speech that Inspired a Nation" by Drew D. Hansen.

"Prisoners of Hope: The Story of Our Captivity and Freedom in Afghanistan" by Dayna Curry and Heather Mercer.

"Security: Policing Your Homeland, Your State, Your City" by Howard Safir.

Call 375-6465 for information or library hours.

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History never looks like history when you are living through it. It always looks confusing and messy, and it always looks uncomfortable.
—John W. Gardner

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The virtue of the imagination is its reaching, by intuition and intensity, a more essential truth than is seen at the surface of things.
—John Ruskin

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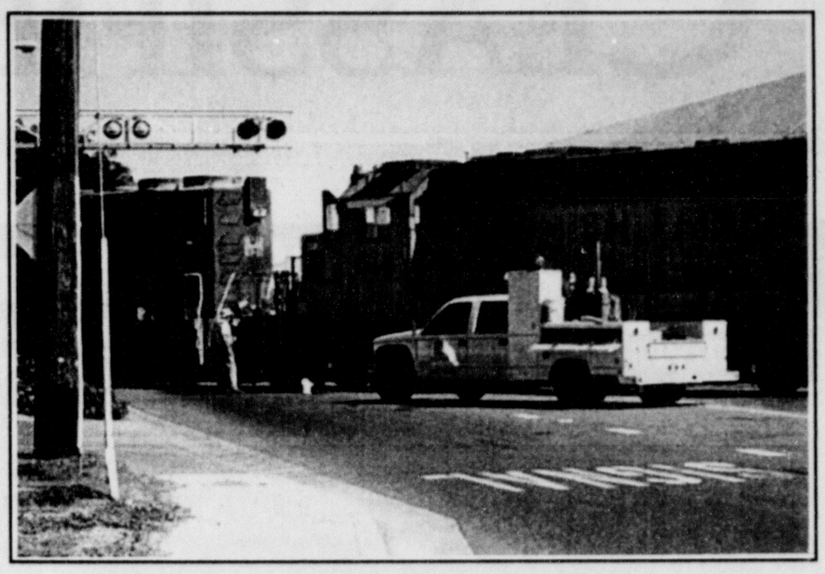
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Imagination disposes of everything; it creates beauty, justice, happiness, which is everything in this world.
—Blaise Pascal

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'Track spread' caused derailments

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor



Industrial Blvd. near the Port of Sacramento was closed for several hours on July 10, as Union Pacific workers labored to free a train from a minor, low-speed derailment. The train had been operated by remote control -- but that was not a factor in the incident, said a UP official. *News-Ledger photo*

A couple of minor railroad derailments in West Sacramento have involved a new practice of operating trains by remote control – but the practice didn't contribute to either the accidents or the cleanup time, said a Union Pacific spokesperson.

Both incidents involved derailments caused by spreading of the tracks on UP spur lines, said John Bromley, spokesperson for the railroad.

Bromley said that one incident took place on June 23 "at about three in the afternoon, and the track was blocked for about two hours."

That incident was caused when one wheel of a locomotive derailed. Bromley couldn't identify the city street location where the incident occurred, but one witness said it happened in the Stone Blvd. area, causing a street blockage. Clarifying information wasn't available from the West Sacramento Police Department.

The second recent incident involved derailment of a train as it crossed Industrial Blvd. east of Harbor Blvd., closing Industrial Blvd. on July 10 for several hours.

"We had two locomotives and one car derail about a mile away (from the June 23 incident)," said Bromley. "These were spur lines and they don't get the same level of maintenance the main rail does. The ties lose their ability to hold the rail."

The trains in both cases were not being operated by engineers, but by operators on or near the trains using re mote control "belt packs."

"The operator has a portable control pack worn at belt level, with the controls on it to tell the locomotive to go forward, backward, blow its horn, or whatever. It signals the computer on board the locomotive to do what is needed. It's fairly simple to operate. For example, you can dial in a command for the locomotive to go four miles per hour, and it will do that."

This operator, said Bromley, "is either riding on the locomotive or one of the cars, or is standing nearby."

In neither case, said Bromley, was the clearing of the accident slowed by the absence of a locomotive engineer. The derailments required a substantial amount of physical repair before the track – and street – could be cleared for car traffic.

Work out for free this summer.

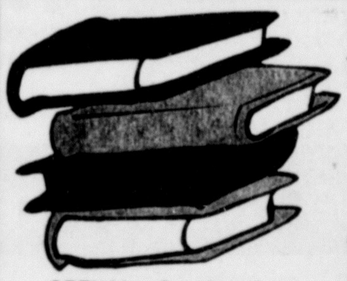


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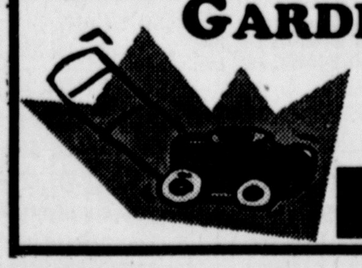


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TEST DRIVE by Greg Zyla

2003 Chevy Impala LS Sedan
Base price: $24,135
Price as tested: $25,180

This week, we're behind the wheel of Chevy's popular 2003 Impala LS Sedan, a family-sized vehicle that promotes what is best about the Chevy bowtie logo. The Impala name first burst upon the auto scene in 1958, and through the 1978 model year, Impala was one of Chevy's top-selling brands. Chevy re-introduced the Impala in 2000, and it has again caught the fancy of many a Chevy consumer.



Outwardly, the Impala is well-done. Large, round taillights set off a rear design that brings back memories of past rear taillight applications like those from 1959 through 1965. The front end features aerodynamic cues and swooping, laid-back design hints. Two levels of Impala are available, a base model (which is powered by a smaller 3.4-liter V-6) and our upgraded LS, which receives power from the 3.8 V-6.

The 3.8-liter V-6 is a proven, bullet-proof engine that produces 200 horsepower at 5,200 rpm and 225 pound-feet of torque at 4,000 rpm. It is capable of a 19 mpg city and 29 mpg highway EPA rating, which is very impressive. Acceleration is brisk, and cruising carefree and enjoyable. Don't be misled by anyone telling you the 3.8 is so outdated in technology that you shouldn't consider buying one. Granted, the engine has been around since 1987, but it has been tweaked and improved to become one of General Motors' best-ever engines, regardless of its pushrod, overhead valve heritage. It's a great engine, period.

Standard features on the LS include four-wheel anti-lock disc brakes, electronic traction control, tire inflation monitor and four-wheel independent sport touring suspension. The only transmission available is the four-speed overdrive automatic transmission, also a proven entity.

As for safety, side-impact air bags are standard on the LS, and complement a dual front airbag setup. Chevy has put Impala through the paces when it comes to collision worthiness, with built-in crumple zones to help absorb impact. The electronic traction control is another great standard feature that deserves mention.

On the road, Impala handles very well. The sport suspension package comes with a different and quicker steering ratio that gives a sportier feel. The car hugs roads well for a larger sedan, and when pushed in sharper turns, a bit of push is present thanks to its front-wheel-drive setup. Overall, however, Impala handles well for what it is.

The cabin is probably the best part of the Impala LS, with a very roomy layout. Our tester, which came finished in a beautiful Galaxy Silver Metallic, offered excellent views for driver and passenger, well-done instrumentation and large, easy-to-read gauges. Comfort is excellent, seats are well-constructed (the driver seat is power-operated) and interior noise is minimal. Standard features include air conditioning with driver and front passenger dual climate control, all the powers, tilt steering, cruise control, console, 16-inch tires and beautiful alloy wheels, and a split folding rear seat. GM's OnStar GPS-based customer-service network linked by satellite is standard on the LS, and our tester came with the $345 optional sound system that includes XM Radio (which we have grown to love).

Important numbers include a wheelbase of 110.5 inches, curb weight of 3,450 pounds, cargo capacity of 18.6 cubic-feet, and a fuel-tank capacity of 17 gallons. Impala operates on 87-octane fuel.

The Impala is still a fine car for any family or businessperson. Our tester bottom-lined at $25,1890, but with incentives and discounts readily available, you can park this car in your driveway for way less. We like Impala — always did — and rate it an eight on a scale of 10. It's pure Chevy all the way!

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Hanging Gardens

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Dreams are the touchstones of our characters.
—Henry David Thoreau

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I like the dreams of the future better than the history of the past.
—Thomas Jefferson

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Brush Up On Your Painting Know-How

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OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial

Watching a slow city speed up

Outraged by the placement of a new McDonalds, the residents released a statement that included the following:

"We are enslaved by speed and have all succombed to the same insidious virus: Fast Life, which disrupts our habits (and) pervades the privacy of our homes."

Only these weren't the Southport residents upset by the placement of a McDonalds and its double drive-through lanes, as one of the first, precedent-setting new commercial developments in their neighborhood. Instead, the words belonged to a group of Italians protesting a new set of golden arches next to the Spanish Steps in Rome.

This, according to the San Francisco Chronicle ("Rescuing *La Dolce Vita*," July 13), helped launch the international "Slow Food" movement in the mid-1980s. The movement seeks to fight back against the proliferation of international fast food, and encourage the preservation of local cuisine – and encourage people to take the time the time to eat it properly.

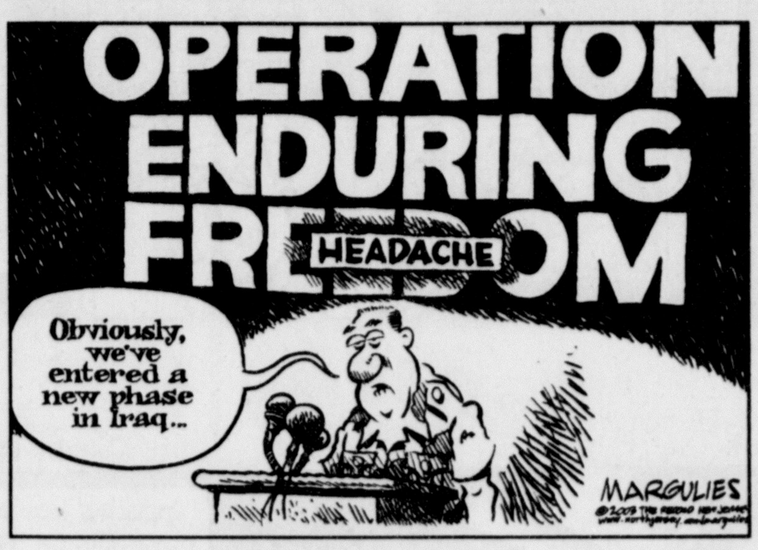
A similar movement, called the "Slow Cities" movement, now seeks to protect the "good life" in old towns of Italy and elsewhere from the incursion of traffic, car alarms and other sound pollution, excess pavement, and bad food.

Processed foods and hamburgers are banned from school menus in some "Slow Cities" towns, says the Chronicle, and in their place are locally grown organic foods prepared to regional recipes. Downtown plazas discourage cars and encourage foot traffic and electric buses. New downtown pavement is discouraged; native greenery is planted. The goal is human contact and time to savor the little pleasures that make up "the sweet life."

Thursday, a piece of land near the Club Pheasant in what is vaguely still a rural area of West Sac was turned over to planned McDonalds, along with its planned car wash and gas station. The land was properly zoned for the restaurant by city officials; only the drive through was at issue. The city planning commission approved the plans.

It will be the city's fourth McDonalds.

For better or for worse, the new neighborhoods in West Sacramento's south took another step towards becoming a "fast" city.







LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Great letter!

I would like to say that the letter by Natalie Karst (News-Ledger, July 9), a copy of which was delivered to the Port of Sacramento's Kelso Committee, was the best letter that has been in our paper. This view also could be directed at any other community.

DICK McCOY
West Sacramento

Thanks!

We wish to publicly thank Cal Trans, West Sacramento unit, for cleaning up the silt and leaves from the freeway underpass at Westacre Road. It is greatly appreciated not only by us, but also by members of the community who use the underpass. Upon our return from vacation, we noticed the difference. Neighbors informed us of the hosing down of the underpass area. We feel Cal Trans has gone the extra mile to improve the community. Thanks to all participating Cal Trans workers.

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/s/Jason Demery

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File No. 2003-602

The following person is doing business as Modern Hair & Nails, 620 Jefferson Blvd., West Sacramento CA 95691:

Nghia Do, 8281 Wyandotte Ct., Elk Grove, CA 95624.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 7/1/03.

/s/Nghia Do

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: July 2 , 2003
by: /s/Ava Woodard, Deputy Clerk

July 16 23 30 Aug 6

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed May 28, 2003
File No. 2003-488

The following person is doing business as Lender Directory.org, 416 Dresbach Way, Davis CA 95616:

Jinamark LLC, 417 Mace Blvd., Suite J #118, Davis CA 95616.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

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/s/Tina K. Cachules

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County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: May 28, 2003
by: /s/Josie Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The West Sacramento City Council will conduct a public hearing on August 6, 2003 at 7:30 PM or as soon thereafter as possible on the following. The hearing will be held in the council chambers at the Civic Center, 1110 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento. Interested persons are invited to attend. In compliance with the ADA, if you need assistance to participate in this meeting, you should contact the City Clerk at 617-4500. Notification 72 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting. City hall is handicapped accessible.

1. Ordinance 03-8, the First Amendment to the Seaway International Trade Center Development Agreement (APN 45-020-02, 03; 45-030-01, 01, 04; 45-190-01, 02, portions of 45-010-04, 17; 45-100-01, 02, 07, 09, 67-110-04; 67-180-09). Amendments proposed include amendments to a portion of the vesting tentative map, amendments to the planned development standards and several amendments to provisions of the Development Agreement. A Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared and circulated in accordance with CEQA and is available for review at the office of the Community Development Department, 1110 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento.

Resolution 03-74 amending the Book of City Imposts for the Galleria Use Fee Schedule.

July 23

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To his dog, every man is Napoleon; hence the constant popularity of dogs.
—Aldous Huxley

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If you want to preserve your secret, wrap it up in frankness.
—Michel de Montaigne

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed May 20, 2003
File No. 2003-467

The following person is doing business as Aaron's Awesome Arcade, 171 W. Main St., Woodland CA 95695:

Synnamon Le, 1720 W. Miramonte Dr., Woodland CA 95695.

This business is conducted by.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 5/20/03.

/s/Synnamon Le

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Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: May 20, 2003
by: /s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 18, 2003
File No. 2003-565

The following person is doing business as HareLine Graphics, 2370 Geary St., West Sacramento CA95691:

Jill Walker, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan.28, 1998.

/s/Jill Walker

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Date: June 18, 2003
by: /s/Ava Woodard, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 12, 2003
File No. 2003-542

The following person is doing business as Flicke Creative; Centrihost, 3001 Lillard Dr., Davis CA 95616.

Adan Callaghan, 3001 Lillard Dr., Davis CA 95616; Thomas Jay, 4005 Cowell Blvd., #205, Davis CA 95616; Lowell Kepics, 1420 Lake Blvd. #24, Davis CA 95616; Alex Ligetti, 4447 Cowell Blvd. #16, Davis CA 95616; Ron Pritchard, 2532 9th Ave., Sacramento CA 95818.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/12/03.

/s/Adan Callaghan et al

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Date: June 12, 2003
by: /s/Ava Woodard, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 17, 2003
File No. 2003-559

The following person is doing business as CDI RV Service Center, 1238 East Beamer St., Woodland CA 95776.

Controlled Directional, Inc., PO Box 8604, Woodland CA 95776, a Calif. corp.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/17/03.

/s/Roger Gibson, President

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County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, County Clerk
Date: June 17, 2003
by: /s/Eleigh Fagel, Deputy Clerk

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PUZZLES & COMICS

Amber Waves

by Dave Phipps



Out on a Limb

by Gary Kopervas



R.F.D.

by Mike Marland



The Spats

by Jeff Pickering







Super Crossword

GREAT SCOTTS!

ACROSS
1 Piglet's papa
5 It's up your sleeve
8 Waugh's "The Loved —"
11 Vapor
14 — check
18 Eban of Israel
19 Geometric figure
21 Hibiscus garland
22 Commedia dell'—
23 Scott Hamilton's rival
25 Chemical ending
26 Obtains
27 New Hampshire campus
28 — ex machina
29 Jury members
31 "Ready! —! Go!"
32 Ordered
34 Gilpin of "Frasier"
37 21st President
39 Chews the scenery
41 Annual award
42 Bewitching location
43 Dealt with a dragon
44 — -Japanese War
46 Harvest
48 Hurler Hershiser
50 Rock's — Supply
51 Scott Wolf series
55 With 89 Across, "Batman" star
57 Al of "Insomnia"
60 Bond rating
61 High-flying agcy.
63 Claire or Balin
64 Component
65 Nab a gnat
68 Adjusted an ascot
69 Mil. base
70 Show indifference
72 Scott Baio co-star
75 Column style
77 Flicka's food
78 Lohengrin's love
80 Actress Mia
81 Reject
82 Periodontists' org.
83 Wander
84 With 120 Down, Bowzer's group
86 Uproar
89 See 55 Across
91 Scott Glenn film
96 Liechtenstein's cont.
97 Command at a corner
99 Iridescent stone
100 Atmosphere
101 Hotels
102 Shortstop Pee Wee
105 Vatican virtue
107 99 and 007
109 "The Producers" star
110 — vera
111 "Fantasia" frames
112 Prohibit
113 On — (doing great)
115 Vittle statistics?
118 "April Love" singer
122 Riyadh resident
124 By means of
125 Scott Joplin composition
128 Hint
129 Sixth sense
130 Varnish
131 Pavlova or Paquin
132 Table d'—
133 Dem.'s opponent
134 Predatory fish
135 Theater sign
136 "— my lips!"

DOWN
1 Conifer covering
2 Bassoon relative
3 Singer Lane
4 Heavenly sight
5 4 Down's shape
6 Zimbabwe, formerly
7 Grimace
8 San Luis —, CA
9 TV's "The Flying —"
10 Slalom curve
11 Merriment
12 Vergil's vagabond
13 — Leone
14 Give in to gravity
15 Scott Turow novel
16 Furry fisherman
17 Try out
20 East Lansing coll.
24 Tidy
29 Damascus dish
30 Normandy site
33 Tyrant
35 Spanish river
36 Shorten a sail
38 Olympic first lady
39 Director Kazan
40 Scott Carpenter's profession
41 ". . . say — do"
43 Fool
45 New Deal agcy.
47 1492 vessel
49 Hawaiian island
52 Applauds a bore?
53 Self-smitten
54 Language suffix
56 Not fem.
58 Shiba — (Japanese dog)
59 Neighbor of Mali
62 "Farewell!"
66 "I — Rock" ('66 hit)
67 Museum piece
70 Clarinetist Artie
71 Hot spot?
72 "Comic Dictionary" author
73 Dack of "Dallas"
74 New Jersey city
76 Baseball's "Master Melvin"
79 Bud's buddy
81 Sail with Sinbad
85 — Simbel
87 Kennel features
88 Cen. segments
90 Stocking stuffers?
92 Horrify
93 Brad, for one
94 Role for Liz
95 Prophetic
98 Wilson of "La Femme Nikita"
101 To such an extent
103 Restaurant employee
104 Plaza Hotel kid
106 Tone down
108 Isle near Corsica
109 Mrs. Phil Donahue
112 Baroque composer
114 Certain Finn
116 Pipe connection
117 "I Remember Mama" character
119 Sarah — Jewett
120 See 84 Across
121 "My word!"
123 Hum bug?
125 Flavor enhancer: Abbr.
126 "Gotcha!"
127 System starter



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Please see answers on back page

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Aquamarine, Asparagus, Blue, Brick Red, Brink Pink, Cerise, Cerulean, Cornflower, Fuchsia, Indigo, Periwinkle, Plum, Scarlet, Silver, Wisteria

Rational Numbers

by Linda Thistle

Using the clues, simple arithmetic, and a little logic, place a single digit (0 to 9) in each empty box in the diagram. To help you get started, two digits have been entered in the diagram.

ACROSS
1. One-half of 12-Down
4. Digits of 17-Down rearranged
6. 20-Across minus 5-Down
8. Five less than 2-Down
9. Digits of 2-Down reversed
11. Five hundred more than 1-Across
13. One less than 19-Down
14. Sixty less than 16-Across
16. Two less than 6-Across
18. Two hundred more than 3-Down
20. One-half of 1-Down

DOWN
1. One less than 14-Across
2. Two times 14-Across
3. Digits of 20-Across rearranged
5. 14-Across plus 19-Down
7. Consecutive digits in ascending order
10. 13-Across plus 18-Across
12. Seven more than 10-Down
14. Four hundred less than 4-Across
15. Five more than 5-Down
17. Consecutive multiples of three
19. Same digit repeated

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4	3	4	2	6	2	4	2	6	2	3	6	8
T	H	U	E	N	S	R	T	H	I	G	I	C
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

DINING, TRAVEL & ENTERTAINMENT

CRITIC'S CORNER
By D.N.A Smith

"The League of Extraordinary Gentlemen"

Running time: 110 minutes
MPAA rating: PG-13

"The League of Extraordinary Gentlemen" is a brilliantly written, lavishly illustrated comic book series by Alan Moore. As an example of the steampunk genre, you will find no better introduction. If you haven't read the books, the League's first adventure has been released as a omnibus paperback edition. I highly recommend it.

As for the film, "The League of Extraordinary Gentlemen," I cannot offer the same heartfelt recommendation. The movie (and I didn't think this was possible) is a dumbed-down version of the comic it is loosely based upon.

The premise (and conceit) of "LXG" is "What if some of the great literary adventure heroes of the Victorian Age banded together to form a supergroup of crime fighters?" — a kind of Justice League of Britannia.

The heroes of the film are Allan Quartermain (Sean Connery), Captain Nemo (brilliantly portrayed by Naseeruddin Shah), the Invisible Man (Tony Curran), vampire Mina Harker (Peta Wilson), Dorian Gray (Stuart Townsend), Dr. Jekyll/Mr. Hyde (Jason Flemyng) and American secret agent Tom Sawyer (Shane West).

Together, our intrepid band fight the mysterious Fantom, a madman bent on perverting the Wonders of Science for his own nefarious ends — namely to start a World War.

A great premise, but sloppily executed. One of the movie's main set pieces



Sean Connery and Shane West

is a chase through Venice, where Nemo's gargantuan submarine, the Nautilus, seems to have no problems negotiating the twisting, not-so-deep canals. It's little stupid mistakes like this that ruin what is a beautifully art-directed film. The minute you are captivated by the lush look of the film, the sloppy script has someone say or do something totally inane to bring you out of the fantasy.

This steampunk pic is no train wreck; I do recommend you see it. But if you really want to see The League in all its glory, read the comics.

Grade: C

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PORTS OF CALL
by Bethany Murray

Tonga's Islands Are Jewels of South Pacific

There's nothing like a tiny island way out in the middle of the ocean for truly getting away from it all. Take Tonga, a group of 171 islands (45 inhabited) spread out over 270,000 square miles, with just 290 square miles in land area. Just little bits of beautiful land surrounded by a whole lot of water.

I know I don't have to tell you about the white, silky sand that will embrace you. Or the azure waters so crystal clear that you can often see for 100 feet or more. Or the gentle, sun-kissed breezes that will tickle your fancy as you lounge beside the whispering waves. Or islands you really do have practically all to yourself — no cars, no blaring television, no hordes of loud tourists or spring breakers ... just peace.

Once you decide to pull yourself up from the sand and explore the islands, you have plenty of stuff to choose from. North of the main island, Tongatapu, are beautiful coral reefs, including black coral and brain coral. The warm waters of the reefs are home to more than 100 species of tropical fish. Giant "flying foxes" — fruit bats — live in the Casuarina trees around the village of Kolovai.

The shells you'll find on Tonga are said to be some of the finest in the Pacific. Humpback whales flock to the warm Tongan waters every winter (June through November in the Southern hemisphere) to give birth and to mate. Twelve-foot-high terraced tombs made of huge blocks of coral rock and built as far back as 1200 AD mark the footprint of an ancient dynasty.

Key aspects of Tongan culture are feasting, dancing and singing — and one begets the other. The variety and size of Tongan feasts are renowned throughout the Pacific, with up to 30 dishes arrayed on a long tray made from braided coconut fronds — a "pola." After the eating comes the singing and dancing, often in the traditional storytelling "lakalaka" dance.

Many of Tonga's islands are inhabited only by travelers staying at resorts. On north Foai'ata Island, for instance, there is nothing but the Blue Lagoon Lodge and its six oceanside fales, or bungalows. You can find fale resorts throughout Tonga and the South Pacific: Fafa Island Resort, Sandy Beach Resort and many more.

The annual temperature is just about 75 F, a little cooler and more pleasant than most tropical areas. US $1 is about equal to Tonga $1.98 (though exchange rates change by the minute). For more information, go to www.vacations.tvb.gov.to, www.tongaholiday.com or www.tonga.pacific-resorts.com.

Send comments, ideas or tips to portsofcall2001@aol.com, or send letters c/o KFWS, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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THE CHOPPING BLOCK
by Philomena Corradeno

MICROWAVE ARTICHOKES FOR A SUMMER TREAT

No, artichoke season is not over. The winter harvest is gone, but the summer crop is in the market now, in time for hot-weather eating. They look a bit different from their winter/spring cousins — they're not as round, the petals are more open, tips more pointy and they have longer thorns. These longer thorns protect a big tender heart inside.

The people at Ocean Mist Farms (growers of most of the country's supply) suggest microwaving for quick, cool preparation. It takes about 15 minutes for cooking, a little cooling off time and they're ready for your creativity in dips or stuffings. Ocean Mist's Maggie Bezart likes filling halves with tuna, salmon, chicken or meat salad. But, your own dip or sauce will please the artichoke lover.

Let's get to the microwaving, in case you've never done this. Trim the end of the stem. Or, if you plan to stand them up in the cooking pan, trim the end and cut off the entire stem. Now, some people discard the stems but in our family, we always cooked them along with the whole artichokes and fought over who got to eat them. (Mom usually cut them in half and we all got some.) Cut off the top third of the artichoke and cut off remaining thorns with scissors.

Arrange the artichokes in a deep microwaveable container with 1/4 cup water (to 1/2 inch depth), 1/2 teaspoon lemon juice and 1/2 teaspoon olive oil for each artichoke.



Cover tightly with lid or plastic wrap and cook on High for 6 to 7 minutes for one, 12 to 14 minutes for four artichokes.

Artichokes are done when a leaf pulls out easily. Let stand, covered, for 5 minutes. Drain well and serve, or cover and chill.

You know how to use your teeth to scrape off the meaty pulp. When you reach the purple-tipped leaves at the center, lift them out and discard them, then with a spoon, scrape away and discard the fuzzy choke. Then enjoy the heart and stem.

Forget the complicated dips, salsas and sauces. Use just balsamic vinegar and olive oil for a sparkling dip. There's no stirring or whisking or cooking. Buy the finest balsamic vinegar you can and a great peppery or fruity virgin olive oil.

A little of each goes a long way in taste.

ARTICHOKES WITH BALSAMIC VINEGAR

- *2 large or 4 medium artichokes*
- *1/4 cup good-quality balsamic vinegar*
- *Extra-virgin olive oil*
- *Salt, preferably coarse, optional*

Prepare, microwave and drain artichokes. Cut each in half. Remove and discard choke. Serve warm or cover and chill until ready to serve. To serve, arrange each half on a serving plate, cut side up. Spoon vinegar into center of each artichoke. Drizzle generously with olive oil and sprinkle with salt, if desired. Makes 4 appetizer servings.

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Comfort foods
Made fast and healthy

by JoAnna M. Lund

Blue Ribbon Winner

It's Fair Time, and many dedicated cooks will entertain thoughts of winning a blue ribbon at their county or state fair. So, I decided to hold a Recipe Fair of my own. I went to my "created but not shared" recipe file cabinets and stirred up some baked goods. As the Official (and only) Judge, I declared this as the Best of Stove Winner!

SOUR CREAM RAISIN CAKE

- *3/4 cup no-fat sour cream*
- *2 eggs or equivalent in egg substitute*
- *1 teaspoon vanilla extract*
- *1 1/2 cups all-purpose flour*
- *Sugar substitute to equal 1/2 cup sugar, suitable for baking*
- *1 teaspoon baking soda*
- *2 teaspoons pumpkin pie spice*
- *1 cup raisins*

Preheat oven to 350 F. Spray a 9-by-9-inch cake pan with butter-flavored cooking spray. In a large bowl, combine sour cream, eggs and vanilla extract. Add flour, sugar substitute, baking soda and pumpkin pie spice. Mix just to combine. Fold in raisins. Spread batter into prepared cake pan. Bake for 20 to 25 minutes. Place cake pan on wire rack and let set for at least 5 minutes. Makes 8 servings.

- Each serving equals: 173 calories, 1 g fat, 5 g protein, 36 g carb., 205 mg sodium, 1 g fiber; Diabetic Exchanges: 1 1/2 Starch, 1 Fruit.

Visit JoAnna's Web site at www.healthyexchanges.com or call toll-free at 1-800-766-8961 for more information about her "common folk" healthy recipes.

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Since the house is on fire let us warm ourselves.
—Italian proverb

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Good Housekeeping

Jerk Catfish with Grilled Pineapple

This Jamaican-style fish is flavored with a spicy jerk seasoning and served with grilled brown sugar-glazed pineapple wedges.

PREP: 15 minutes
GRILL: 10 minutes
MAKES: 4 main-dish servings

- *2 green onions, chopped*
- *1 jalapeño chile, seeded and minced*
- *1 tablespoon minced, peeled fresh ginger*
- *2 tablespoons white wine vinegar*
- *2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce*
- *1 tablespoon vegetable oil*
- *1 1/4 teaspoons dried thyme*
- *1 teaspoon ground allspice*
- *1/4 teaspoon salt*
- *4 catfish fillets (5 ounces each)*
- *2 tablespoons brown sugar*
- *1 small pineapple, cut lengthwise into 4 wedges*

1. Prepare grill. In medium bowl, combine green onions, jalapeño, ginger, vinegar, Worcestershire, oil, thyme, allspice and salt. Add catfish, turning to coat. Let stand 5 minutes.
2. Meanwhile, rub brown sugar on flesh of pineapple.
3. Place pineapple and catfish on grill over medium-high heat. Brush half of jerk mixture in bowl on catfish. Grill 5 minutes. Turn pineapple and catfish. Brush remaining jerk mixture on fillets and cook until fish is just opaque throughout and pineapple is golden brown, 5 to 7 minutes longer.

- Each serving: About 351 calories, 23 g protein, 35 g carbohydrate, 14 g total fat (3 g saturated), 47 mg cholesterol, 279 mg sodium.

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ORDINANCE NO. 03-10
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST SACRAMENTO LEVYING A SPECIAL TAX WITHIN COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 18 (SOUTHPORT GATEWAY UNIT 4)

WHEREAS, on June 4, 2003, this Council adopted its Resolution No. 03-49 (the "Resolution of Intention to Establish the District") stating its intention to form Community Facilities District No. 18 (Southport Gateway Unit 4) of the City of West Sacramento (the "District") pursuant to Chapter 2.5 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5 (commencing with Section 53311) of the California Government Code, commonly known as the "Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982" (the "Act");

WHEREAS, on June 4, 2003, this Council also adopted its Resolution No. 03-50 (the "Resolution of Intention to Incur Bonded Indebtedness") stating its intention to incur bonded indebtedness, in an amount not to exceed $900,000, within the District for the purpose of financing, in whole or in part, the costs of certain public facilities specified in the Resolution of Intention to Establish the District (the "Facilities");

WHEREAS, notice was published as required by law relative to the intention of this Council to form the proposed District and to incur the bonded indebtedness;

WHEREAS, on July 9, 2003, this Council held the noticed public hearings as required by law (1) to determine whether it should proceed with the establishment of the District and authorize, subject to a vote of the qualified electors, the levy of a special tax to be levied within the District sufficient to pay debt service on bonds to be issued to finance the Facilities, in whole or in part, to pay for the Facilities, and to pay any authorized costs and expenses related thereto, all as described in the Resolution of Intention to Establish the District; and (2) on the proposal to incur the bonded indebtedness, subject to a vote of the qualified electors, as described in the Resolution of Intention to Incur Bonded Indebtedness;

WHEREAS, at the hearings all persons desiring to be heard on all matters pertaining to the formation of the District, the levy of the special tax, the proposed issuance of the bonded indebtedness, and all other matters set forth in the Resolution of Intention to Establish the District and the Resolution of Intention to Incur Bonded Indebtedness, were heard and considered and full and fair hearings were held thereon;

WHEREAS, following the hearings, this Council did, on July 9, 2003, adopt its Resolution No. 03-66 (the "Resolution of Formation") which established the District, determined the validity of prior proceedings relative to the formation of the District and authorized the levy of a special tax within the District, called an election for July 16, 2003, on the propositions of levying the special tax and establishing an appropriations limit within the District, and ordered the election consolidated with the election at which the proposition of incurring the bonded indebtedness is submitted to the qualified electors within the District;

WHEREAS, following the hearings, this Council did, on July 9, 2003, also adopt its Resolution No. 03-67 (the "Resolution to Incur Bonded Indebtedness") which determined the necessity of incurring the bonded indebtedness in an amount not to exceed $900,000 and called an election within the District for July 16, 2003, on the proposition of incurring the bonded indebtedness; and

WHEREAS, on July 16, 2003, in accordance with the Resolution of Formation and the Resolution to Incur Bonded Indebtedness, a consolidated election was held within the District at which the qualified electors approved by more than a two-thirds vote the propositions of levying the special tax, establishing the appropriations limit, and incurring the bonded indebtedness;

NOW THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of West Sacramento **DOES ORDAIN,** as follows:

1. The above recitals are true and correct and this Council so finds and determines.

2. By the passage of this Ordinance, this Council authorizes and levies a special tax within the District pursuant to Sections 53328 and 53340 of the Act, at the rate and in accordance with the method of apportionment set forth in EXHIBIT A hereto (the "Rate and Method of Apportionment"). The special tax is levied commencing in fiscal year 2003-2004, and in each fiscal year thereafter until the earlier of (a) the date at which the tax is no longer needed for its purposes described in the Resolution of Formation and the Resolution to Incur Bonded Indebtedness, or (b) the fiscal year ending June 30, 2038.

3. The Director of Finance is authorized and directed each fiscal year to determine the special tax to be levied for the next ensuing fiscal year for each parcel of real property within the District, in the manner and as provided in the Rate and Method of Apportionment.

4. Properties or entities of the State, federal or local governments are exempt from the levy of the special tax to the extent set forth in the Rate and Method of Apportionment. In no event shall the special tax be levied on any parcel within the District in excess of the maximum tax specified in the Rate and Method of Apportionment.

5. All of the collections of the special tax shall be used as provided for in the Act and the Resolution of Formation.

6. The special tax shall be collected on the secured real property tax roll in the same manner as ordinary *ad valorem* taxes are collected. The special tax shall have the same lien priority, and be subject to the same penalties and the same procedure and sale in cases of delinquency as provided for *ad valorem* taxes. In addition, the provisions of Section 53356.1 of the Act shall apply to delinquent special tax payments. The Director of Finance is authorized and directed to provide all necessary information to the Treasurer-Tax Collector of Yolo County and to otherwise take all actions necessary in order to effect proper billing and collection of the special tax, so that the special tax is levied and collected in sufficient amounts and at times necessary to satisfy the financial obligations of the District in each fiscal year.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Director of Finance may collect one or more installments of the special tax by means of direct billing of the property owners within the District if, in his judgment, such means of collection will reduce the burden of administering the District or is otherwise appropriate in the circumstances. In such event, the special tax will become delinquent if not paid when due as set forth in any such billing to the property owners.

7. If for any reason any portion of this Ordinance is found to be invalid, or if the special tax is found inapplicable to any particular parcel within the District, by a court of competent jurisdiction, the balance of this Ordinance and the application of the special tax to the remaining parcels within the District shall not be affected.

8. This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its adoption and, within fifteen (15) days after its adoption, the City Clerk shall cause it to be published at least once, with the names of those Council members voting for and against the Ordinance, in a paper of general circulation published and circulated within the City of West Sacramento.

Introduced at a meeting of the City Council of the City of West Sacramento held on July 9, 2003.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of West Sacramento held on July 16, 2003, by the following vote:

AYES: Kristoff, Montemayor, Pierson, Villegas, Cabaldon
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
/s/Christopher L. Cabaldon, Mayor
ATTEST: /s/Helen M. Kanowsky, City Clerk
APPROVED AS TO FORM: /s/ Robert E. Murphy, City Attorney

July 23

EXHIBIT A
Community Facilities District No. 18
(Southport Gateway Unit 4)
City of West Sacramento, California
RATE, METHOD OF APPORTIONMENT, AND MANNER OF COLLECTION OF SPECIAL TAX

Basis of Special Tax Levy

A Special Tax authorized under the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982 (the "Act") applicable to the land in Community Facilities District No. 18 (the "CFD") of the City of West Sacramento (the "City") shall be levied and collected according to the tax liability determined by the City through the application of the appropriate amount or rate, as described below.

Definitions

"**Act**" means the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, as amended, Sections 53311 and following of the California Government Code.

"**Administrative Expenses**" means the following actual or reasonably estimated costs directly related to the administration of the CFD: the costs of computing Special Taxes and preparing the annual Special Tax collection schedules (whether by the City or designee thereof or both); the costs of collecting the Special Taxes (whether by the County, the City, or otherwise); the costs of remitting the Special Taxes to the Trustee; the costs of the Trustee (including its legal counsel) in the discharge of the duties required of it under the Bond Indenture; the costs to the City, CFD or any designee thereof of complying with arbitrage rebate requirements; the costs to the City, CFD or any designee thereof of complying with City, CFD or obliged persons disclosure requirements associated with preparing Special Tax disclosure statements and responding to public inquiries regarding the Special Taxes; the costs of the City, CFD or designee thereof related to the appeal of the Special Tax; and the cost associated with the release of funds from an escrow account, if any. Administrative Expenses shall also include amounts estimated or advanced by the City or CFD for any other administrative purposes, including attorney's fees and other costs related to commencing and pursuing to completion any foreclosure of delinquent Special Taxes.

"**Administrator**" means the City Finance Director or his or her designee.

"**Annual Costs**" means, for any Fiscal Year, the total of the following:

i) Service to be paid from Special Taxes collected during such Fiscal Year;

ii) Administrative Expenses for such Fiscal Year;

iii) The amount needed to replenish the reserve fund for the Bonds to the level required under the Bond Indenture;

iv) An amount equal to the amount of delinquencies in payments of Special Taxes levied in the previous Fiscal Year and/or anticipated for the current Fiscal Year; and,

Pay-as-you-go expenditures for Authorized Facilities; and

Less any earnings on the reserve fund and special tax fund that are transferred to the bond redemption fund pursuant to the Bond Indenture.

"**Authorized Facilities**" means those facilities authorized to be funded by the CFD, as identified in the resolution forming the CFD.

"**Base Year**" means the Fiscal Year beginning on July 1, 2003 and ending on June 30, 2004.

"**Benefit Share**" means the Maximum Annual Special Tax for a Taxable Parcel divided by the Maximum CFD Revenue.

"**Bond(s)**" means bond(s) issued by the City under the Act for the CFD.

"**Bond Authorization**" means the maximum amount of bonds that the CFD is authorized to issue pursuant to the Bond Indenture.

"**Bond Indenture**" means the indenture or other financing document pursuant to which the bonds are issued.

"**Bond Share**" means the share of bonds assigned to a Parcel as specified in Section 7 hereof.

"**CFD**" means the Community Facilities District No.18 (Southport Gateway Unit 4) of the City.

"**City**" means the City of West Sacramento, California.

"**Council**" means the City Council of West Sacramento acting for the CFD under the Act.

"**County**" means the County of Yolo, California.

"**County Assessor's Parcel**" means a lot or Parcel with an assigned Assessor's Parcel Number in the maps used by the County Assessor in the preparation of the tax roll.

"**Debt Service**" means the total amount of principal, interest, and the scheduled sinking fund payments to pay Bond principal and interest.

"**Developed Parcel**" means a Parcel in one of the following land use categories that has received from the City the applicable development approval for that land use category as follows:

Land UseDevelopment Approval

Single Family Residential Parcel => Final Subdivision Map

Other Land Uses => Building Permit

"**Final Subdivision Map**" means a recorded map designating individual Single Family Residential Parcels.

"**Fiscal Year**" means the period starting July 1 and ending the following June 30.

"**Full Prepayment**" means the fulfillment of a Parcel's complete Special Tax obligation, as determined by following the procedures in Section 7.

"**Maximum CFD Revenue**" means the sum of the Maximum Annual Special Tax for all of the Taxable Parcels in the CFD for a Fiscal Year.

"**Maximum Annual Special Tax**" means the greatest amount of Special Tax that can be levied against a Taxable Parcel in a Fiscal Year as shown in Attachment 1 and Attachment 2.

"**Net Acre(age)**" means the acreage of a Parcel as shown on the final map or parcel map excluding the right-of-way dedicated and accepted by a public agency for streets, roads, landscaping, and other public purposes.

"**Original Parcel**" means a Parcel as identified by Assessor's Parcel Number on Attachment 1.

"**Other Land Uses**" means all taxable Developed Parcels with land uses other than single family residential. Although the CFD is intended to include only single family residential development, rezoning may allow other uses. Multi-family residential, retail, office, mixed-use, and industrial property would be taxable as Other Land Uses.

"**Outstanding Bonds**" means the total principal amount of Bonds that have been issued and not retired or defeased.

"**Parcel**" means any County Assessor's Parcel in the CFD based on the equalized tax rolls of the County as of January 1 preceding the Fiscal Year.

"**Partial Prepayment**" means a prepayment of a portion of a Parcel's Special Tax obligation, as set forth in Section 7.

"**Partial Prepayment Factor**" means a factor by which the Maximum Annual Special Tax for a Partial Prepayment Parcel is multiplied to calculate an adjusted Maximum Annual Special Tax for such a Parcel. Each Partial Prepayment Factor shall be calculated according to the steps described under Section 7 hereof.

"**Prepayment**" means the partial or complete fulfillment of a Parcel's Special Tax obligation, as determined by following the procedures in Section 7.

"**Public Parcel**" means any Parcel that is or is intended to be publicly owned, as designated in the vesting tentative map or final map, that is normally exempt from the levy of general *ad valorem* property taxes under California law, including public streets, schools, parks, public drainage ways, public landscaping, wetlands, greenbelts, and public open space.

"**Reserve Fund Requirement**" means the amount required to be held in the bond reserve fund created under the Bond Indenture.

"**Reserve Fund Share**" means the lesser of: (i) Reserve Fund Requirement or (ii) the reserve fund balance at the time of such calculation, multiplied by the Benefit Share for a given Parcel.

"**Single Family Residential Parcel**" means a single family residential lot created by the recordation of a Final Subdivision Map.

"**Special Tax(es)**" mean(s) the special tax levied under the Act in the CFD.

"**Subdivision**" means a division of a Parcel into two or more Successor Parcels through the Subdivision Map Act process.

"**Successor Parcel**" means a Parcel created by Subdivision, lot line adjustment, or parcel map from an Original or Successor Parcel.

"**Tax Collection Schedule**" means the document prepared by the City for the County Auditor to use in levying and collecting the Special Tax each Fiscal Year.

"**Tax Escalation Factor**" means a factor of two percent (2%) that will be applied annually for the first fourteen (14) Fiscal Years after the Base Year or until the first series of Bonds is issued, whichever comes first, to increase the Maximum Annual Special Tax. In any case, after Fiscal Year 2017-2018 the Maximum Annual Special Tax shall cease to escalate.

"**Taxable Parcel**" means any Parcel that is not a Tax-Exempt Parcel.

"**Tax-Exempt Parcel**" means a Parcel not subject to the Special Tax. Tax-Exempt Parcels include: (i) Public Parcels and (ii) any Parcel for which the Special Tax has been fully prepaid under Section 7 hereof. Certain privately owned Parcels may also be exempt from the levy of Special Taxes including common areas owned by homeowner's associations or property owner associations, wetlands, detention basins, water quality ponds, and open space.

"**Undeveloped Parcel**" means a Taxable Parcel that is not a Developed Parcel.

"**Unit(s)**" means the number of taxable developed residential unit(s) assigned to a Parcel, or a portion thereof, by the Administrator. For example, Lot 11 of the Vesting Tentative Map No, 4563 lies partially outside the boundaries of the CFD, but is assigned one Unit.

Determination of Parcels Subject to Special Tax

The City shall prepare a list of the Taxable Parcels subject to the Special Tax. The City shall identify the Taxable Parcels from a list of all Parcels within the CFD boundary by excluding all Tax-Exempt Parcels.

Termination of the Special Tax

The Special Tax will be levied and collected for as long as it is needed to pay the principal and interest on debt and other costs incurred in order to construct the Authorized Facilities and to pay the Annual Costs. However, in no event shall the Special Tax be levied on any Parcel in the CFD after Fiscal Year 2037-2038.

When all Annual Costs incurred by the CFD have been paid, the Special Tax shall cease to be levied. The City shall direct the County Recorder to record a Notice of Cessation of Special Tax. Such notice will state that the obligation to pay the Special Tax has ceased and that the lien imposed by the Notice of Special Tax Lien is extinguished. The Notice of Cessation of Special Tax shall additionally identify the book and page of the Book of Maps of Assessment and Community Facilities Districts where the map of the boundaries of the CFD is recorded.

Assignment of Maximum Annual Special Tax

A. Classification of Parcels. Each Fiscal Year, using the Definitions above, the Parcel records of the County Assessor's Secured Tax Roll as of January 1, and other City development approval records as of June 1, the City shall cause:

1. Each Parcel to be classified as a Tax-Exempt Parcel or Taxable Parcel,

2. Each Taxable Parcel to be classified as an Original Parcel, a Successor Parcel, or a Partial Prepayment Parcel; and,

3. Each Successor Parcel is to be further classified as a Developed Parcel or an Undeveloped Parcel.

B. Partial Prepayment Parcel. The Maximum Annual Special Tax for a Partial Prepayment Parcel is assigned by multiplying the Maximum Annual Special Tax from **Attachment 2**, or as otherwise calculated for a Developed Parcel, by the Partial Prepayment Factor for the Parcel.

Assignment of Maximum Annual Special Tax to Original Parcels. The Maximum Annual Special Tax for each Original Parcel is shown on **Attachment 1**. The Maximum Annual Special Tax is increased by the Tax Escalation Factor in each Fiscal Year after the Base Year, subject to the limitations of the Tax Escalation Factor.

Assignment of Maximum Annual Special Tax to Successor Parcels.

The Maximum Annual Special Tax shall be assigned to Successor Parcels in the following manner:

1. **Developed Parcel** – The Maximum Annual Special Tax is assigned to Developed Parcels using **Attachment 2** and as increased by the Tax Escalation Factor in each Fiscal Year after the Base Year, subject to the limitations of the Tax Escalation Factor.

a. **Single Family Residential Parcels**. The Maximum Annual Special Tax is equal to the amount per Unit for Single Family Residential Parcels shown in **Attachment 2** for a Fiscal Year multiplied by the Units assigned to a Developed Parcel. A Single Family Residential Parcel is assumed to have one Unit assigned.

b. **Other Land Uses**. The Maximum Annual Special Tax is equal to the amount per Net Acre for Other Land Uses shown in **Attachment 2** for a Fiscal Year multiplied by the Net Acreage of the Developed Parcel.

Adjustments to the Maximum Annual Special Tax For Developed Parcels. Each time a Successor Parcel is subdivided, the Administrator will assign the Units to each of the newly created Taxable Parcels. If there is an overall reduction in assigned Units from the previous Successor Parcel, the Administrator shall: (i) calculate the loss in Maximum CFD Revenue by multiplying the number of reduced Units by the Maximum Annual Special Tax per Unit from **Attachment 2**; and (ii) require the Prepayment of this difference pursuant to **Section 7**. Prepayment shall be made prior to, or concurrent with, recordation of the Final Subdivision Map creating the new Successor Parcels. Such Prepayment may be avoided to the extent that the City determines that the Maximum CFD Revenue, allowing for the loss of such Units, is expected to be sufficient to meet Annual Costs without the levy of a Special Tax on such Units.

2. **Undeveloped Parcel** – The Maximum Annual Special Tax is assigned using **Attachment 2**, as increased by the Tax Escalation Factor in each Fiscal Year after the Base Year, subject to the limitations of the Tax Escalation Factor.

a. **Single Family Residential Parcels**. The Maximum Annual Special Tax is equal to the amount per Unit for Single Family Residential Parcels shown in **Attachment 2** for a given Fiscal Year multiplied by the number of Units assigned to the Parcel.

b. **Other Land Uses**. The Maximum Annual Special Tax is calculated by multiplying the Net Acreage of the Parcel times the amount per Net Acre for Other Land Uses shown in **Attachment 2** for a given Fiscal Year

E. Conversion of a Tax-Exempt Parcel to a Taxable Parcel. If a Tax-Exempt Parcel is converted to a Taxable Parcel, it shall become subject to the Special Tax. The Maximum Annual Special Tax for each such Parcel shall be based on the number of Units assigned to such Parcel., or a Maximum Annual Special Tax per Net Acre for Other Land Uses, as shown in **Attachment 2** for a given Fiscal Year.

F. Taxable Parcel Acquired by a Public Agency. A Taxable Parcel that is acquired by a public agency after the CFD is formed will remain subject to the applicable Special Tax unless the Special Tax obligation is satisfied pursuant to Section 53317.5 of the Government Code. An exception to this may be made if a Public Parcel, such as a school site, is relocated to a Taxable Parcel, in which case the previously Tax-Exempt Parcel of comparable acreage becomes a Taxable Parcel and the Maximum Annual Special Tax from the previously Taxable Parcel is transferred to the new Taxable Parcel. This trading of a Parcel from a Taxable Parcel to a Public Parcel will be permitted to the extent there is no net loss in Maximum CFD Revenue.

Setting the Annual Special Tax Rate for Taxable Parcels

The City shall calculate the Special Tax levy for each Taxable Parcel for each Fiscal Year as follows:

A. Compute the Annual Costs using the definition of Annual Costs in **Section 2**.

B. Calculate the Special Tax levy for each Taxable Parcel by the following steps:

Step 1 Compute 100% of the Maximum Annual Special Tax revenue for all Developed Parcels.

Step 2: Compare the Annual Costs with the Maximum Annual Special Tax revenue calculated in the previous step.

Step 3: If the Annual Costs are less than the Maximum Annual Special Tax revenue, decrease proportionately the Special Tax levy for each Developed Parcel until the revenue from the Special Tax levy equals the Annual Costs.

Step 4: If the Annual Costs are greater than the Maximum Annual Special Tax revenue from Developed Parcels, levy a Special Tax proportionately on each Undeveloped Parcel to an amount equal to the amount of Annual Costs or until 100% of the Maximum Annual Special Tax is reached for such Undeveloped Parcels.

C. Levy on each Taxable Parcel the amount calculated above.

D. Prepare the Tax Collection Schedule and, unless an alternative method of collection has been selected pursuant to Section 9, send it to the County Auditor requesting that it be placed on the general, secured property tax roll for the Fiscal Year. The Tax Collection Schedule shall not be sent later than the date required by the Auditor for such inclusion.

The City shall make every effort to correctly calculate the Special Tax for each Parcel. It shall be the burden of the taxpayer to advise the City of any alleged errors in the determination of the Parcels subject to the tax and the assignment of the Special Tax to the Parcels.

As development and subdivision of CFD land uses take place, the City will maintain a file of each current County Assessor's Parcel Number within the CFD, its Maximum Annual Special Tax, and the Maximum Annual Special Tax revenues for all Parcels within the CFD available for public inspection. This record shall show the calculation of the assigned Maximum Annual Special Tax to each Original and Successor Parcel and a brief description of the process of assigning the Special Tax each time a Successor Parcel was created.

Prepayment of Special Tax Obligation

A property owner may permanently satisfy the Special Tax obligation on a Parcel by Prepayment of the Special Tax as permitted under Government Code Section 53344. Prepayment is permitted only under the following conditions:

The prepayment is based on the prepayment for a Developed Parcel--even if the prepaying Parcel is an Original or Undeveloped Parcel at the time of prepayment.

The City determines that the prepayment of the Special Tax obligation does not jeopardize its ability to make timely payments of Debt Service on outstanding bonds.

Any landowner prepaying the Special Tax obligation on a Parcel must pay any delinquent Special Tax and penalties on that Parcel prior to Prepayment.

The Full Prepayment amount shall be established by following the steps in Part A.

PART A:FULL PREPAYMENT

Step A.1:Determine the Maximum Annual Special Tax for the Parcel for which the Special Tax is to be fully prepaid by following the procedures in **Section 5**. If the Parcel is not a Developed Parcel, the determination of the Maximum Annual Special Tax shall assume that the Parcel is a Developed Parcel.

Step A.2:Divide the Maximum Annual Special Tax from Step A.1 by the Maximum CFD Revenue to arrive at the Benefit Share.

Step A.3:Determine the Bond Share for the Parcel by multiplying the Benefit Share from Step A.2 by the amount of the Outstanding Bonds. For the purpose of calculating the Bond Share, Bonds to be retired from Special Taxes that have been levied but not collected shall not be considered Outstanding Bonds.

Step A.4:Determine the Reserve Fund Share associated with the Bond Share calculated in Step A.3 and reduce the Bond Share by the amount of the Reserve Fund Share.

Step A.5:Add to the amount calculated in Step A.4 any fees, call premiums, and expenses incurred by the City in connection with the Prepayment calculation or the application of the proceeds of the prepayment to the call of bonds. The sum of this calculation is the Full Prepayment requirement for a Parcel.

PART B:PARTIAL PREPAYMENT

If the Prepayment is a Partial Prepayment, then the property owner shall designate an amount which is less than the Full Prepayment amount determined above for the Parcel for which the Special Tax is to be partially prepaid (or group of such Parcels) but which, based upon a calculation provided by the Administrator, will provide sufficient funds for a Bond call in a whole number multiple of $5,000. The Administrator shall determine the Partial Prepayment Factor by the following procedure:

Step B.1:Calculate the Bond

See LEGAL NOTICES P.11

Attachment 1
City of West
Community Facilities District No. 18 (Southport Gateway Unit 4)
Maximum Annual Special Tax for Original Parcels [1]

Assessor's Parcel Number	Gross Acreage	Estimate Units [2]	Residential Lot Numbers	Maximum Special tax [1]
046-010-28	14.33	45	11-55	$51,570
046-010-29	2.46	0	n/a	$0
046-010-30	3.23	10	1-10	$11,460
Total	20.02	55		$63,030

[1] The Base Year is considered 2003-2004, and the Special Tax within the Base Year is $1,146 per single family unit. The Maximum Annual Special Tax is increased by the Tax Escalation Factor in each year following the Base Year, subject to the limitations of the Tax Escalation Factor.

[2] Estimated Units assigned to Assessor's Parcel Numbers using Vesting Tentative Map No. 4563. Residential lot number 11 lies partially outside of the boundaries of the CFD, but is assigned one unit.

Attachment 2
City of West Sacramento
Community Facilities District No. 18
(Southport Gateway Unit 4)
Maximum Annual Special Tax for Successor Parcels [1]

	Maximum Annual Special Tax			
	Developed Parcels		Undeveloped Parcels	
Fiscal Year Ending June	Single Family Residential Parcels *per Unit [2]*	Other Land Uses *per Net Acre*	Single Family Residential Parcels *per Unit [2]*	Other Land Uses *per Net Acre*
2004	$1,146	$5,963	$1,146	$5,963

[1] Maximum annual special tax will increase 2% annually for 14 years through FY 2017-2018, or until the first series of Bonds are issued (whichever sooner), and will not increase thereafter.

[2] Estimated Units assigned to Assessor's Parcel Numbers using Vesting Tentative Map No. 4563. Residential lot number 11 lies partially outside of the boundaries of the CFD, but is assigned one unit.

This week in local government

West Sacramento's Economic Development Advisory Commission will meet at 6 p.m. tonight at city hall, 1110 West Capitol Avenue.

Agenda items will include the semi-annual business recruitment report and semi-annual business retention and expansion program report.

The school board of the **Washington Unified School District** will meet in open session at 7 p.m. Thursday evening at city hall.

Agenda items will include English Language Acquisition Program grant application; agreement for joint use of city park by Bridgeway Island Elementary School; amendment to joint use agreement for skateboard park at Westacre Playfield; contract for facilities consultant; contract for production of environmental impact report for new high school; update on plans for "reinventing River City High School; Research Academy School Prospect; status report on Bridgeway Island Elementary phase two addition; increase in student & adult meal prices; agreement between school district and classified employees' union; and other matters.

The **Port of Sacramento** announces that the **Kelso Advisory Committee** has scheduled upcoming sessions for Tuesday, July 29, and Tuesday, Aug. 12, at the port's administration offices at the California Trucking Association building, 3251 Beacon Blvd., from 6-8 p.m.

Both meetings will include a summary and report to date and a committee discussion of possible recommendations. The July 29 session will also include a presentation of the Sacramento/West Sacramento Riverfront Plan by Mike Luken of the West Sacramento Redevelopment Agency.

NOTICE OF HEARING
AUGUST 7, 2003

The West Sacramento Planning Commission will consider the following matters on Thursday, August 7, 2003, at West Sacramento Civic Center, Council Chambers, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, California, at the times as specified or as soon thereafter as the matters may be heard.

6:00 p.m.
Zoning Administrator (ZA) Actions
Item #1
None
Regular Agenda
Item #2
Parlin Ranch Vesting Tentative Subdivision Map (TSM 02-05)

The application involves a vesting tentative subdivision map that proposes to subdivide 76 acres into 312 single-family lots and a 5.46-acre recreation corridor. The project is located east of Jefferson Boulevard, south of Linden Road, and west of Mojave Drive APN #46-050-02, -03) and is zoned R-1-B (single family residential). A Negative Declaration has been prepared on this item. OWNER: Reynen and Bardis, 9848 Business Park Drive #H, Sacramento, CA 95827. APPLICANT: Morton and Pitalo, 1798 Tribute Road #200, Sacramento, CA 95815. (SW)

Item #3
Triangle Mini Storage Zone Text Amendment (REZ 03-01)

This item is a request to amend the text of the Zoning Ordinance to allow mini storage as a conditional use in the Waterfront zone. If approved, a mini storage project would be proposed at 400 Drever Street in the Triangle Specific Plan area. A Categorical Exemption has been prepared on this item. OWNER: Conrad Phillips II, LLC, 2568 Industrial Boulevard, Suite 105, West Sacramento, CA 95691. APPLICANT: Richard Bullock, 2543 Higgins Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691. (DT)

Item #4
Raley Field Noise Monitoring and Enforcement Program

This item details proposed revisions to the Raley Field Noise Monitoring and Enforcement Program requirements. The property is located at 400 Ballpark Drive (APN #58-320-27) and is zoned WF (Waterfront). A Negative Declaration was previously prepared for this project. OWNER/APPLICANT: River City Stadium Management, 400 Ballpark Drive, West Sacramento, CA 95691. (JP)

Item #4
Bosley Tentative Subdivision Map

This item is a request to subdivide a 17.5 acre parcel into seven 2.5 acre parcels to be served by private courts and onsite wells and sewage disposal systems. The property is located at 3900 Partridge Avenue (APN #46-160-13) and is zoned RE (Rural Estates). A Negative Declaration has been prepared on this project. OWNER/APPLICANT: Donald Roy Bosley Family Trust, 3845 Jefferson Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA 95691. (DT)
/s/Stephen M. Patek, Director
Community Development Department

If you challenge any of the above items in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of West Sacramento at, or prior to, the public hearing.

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Share amount from Part A. above.
Step B.2: Subtract the amount of the proposed Partial Prepayment from the Full Prepayment Bond Share amount calculated in Part A.3 above;
Step B.3: Subtract any fixed costs (such as the cost of the Prepayment calculation and other fees which do not vary proportionally with the size of the Prepayment) of the Partial Prepayment from the Full Prepayment amount;
Step B.4: Divide the result of Step B.2 by the result of Step B.3 to arrive at the Partial Prepayment Factor. The Partial Prepayment Factor is used in decreasing the Maximum Annual Special Tax for the Parcel for which the Special Tax is partially prepaid.
Step B.5: If a Partial Prepayment has previously been made for this Parcel, multiply the result of Step B.4 times the previously calculated Partial Prepayment Factor.

PART C: TRANSFERS

Make the appropriate transfers from the reserve fund to the prepayment fund established under the Bond Indenture, as follows:
Step C.1: For a Full Prepayment, transfer the amount of the Reserve Fund Share.
Step C.2: For a Partial Prepayment, transfer an amount equal to the Reserve Fund Share times the Partial Prepayment Factor.

Appeals

Any taxpayer who feels that the amount of the Special Tax assigned to a Parcel is in error may file a notice with the Administrator appealing the levy of the Special Tax. The Administrator will then promptly review the appeal, and if necessary, meet with the applicant. If the Administrator verifies that the tax should be modified or changed, a recommendation at that time will be made to the Council and, as appropriate, the Special Tax levy as to that Parcel shall be corrected and, if applicable in any case, a refund shall be granted.

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Borrow Raley Field

The West Sacramento Parks & Community Services Dept. is accepting applications from non-profit groups for use of Raley Field on selected dates between March 1 and Oct. 31, 2004. For an application, call 617-4620. Applications accepted until Aug. 15.

Trail riders

Next meeting of the West Sacramento Trail Riders Association (equestrians) will be at 7 p.m. on Aug. 5 at the home of Sally & Montey Hensley, 2505 Harmon Rd. New members are welcome. You may email wstra2002@aol.com for more information, or call Sally, 371-1549. The association is hosting a "karaoke/barn dance on Aug. 15 from 7:30 p.m. to midnight; cost is $10, and the event will be held at 4995 Jefferson Blvd. For more information or tickets, call 371-0569, 397-8289, 371-7401, 372-0467, or Brenda at Home Port Realty, 372-5933. Grab your partner and get ready to belt out some Western tunes.

Police open house

The West Sacramento Police Department invites you to its annual open house on Tues., Aug. 5, from 4-8 p.m. There will be refreshments, music and family activities at the department, on Triangle Ct. west of Jefferson Blvd.

Farmers Market

West Sacramento's summer farmers' market has returned. The market is held on Sundays from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the parking lot of Whitey's Jolly Kone, at Jefferson Blvd. and 15th Street. Fruits, vegetables & crafts.

Grants available

The City of West Sacramento has earmarked $12,500 for non-profit community-based organizations. Applications are available at the parks & community services department, 1110 West Capitol Ave., and are due by Sept. 10. Call 617-4620 for information.

Anti-crime

The annual "National Night Out Against Crime" is scheduled this year for Tues., Aug. 5 from 6-10 p.m., when West Sacramentans will be invited to turn on their outside lights, lock their doors and spend an evening outside with neighbors and police. Many neighborhoods will sponsor block parties and anti-crime rallies. To participate, call 372-2461 ext. 279 or ext. 254.

Interfaith

West Sacramento's Interfaith group invites people from different faith traditions to its annual Summer Event, on July 30 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the same location. Potluck dinner at 6:30, interfaith forum at 7 p.m. and dessert at 8 p.m. Child care to be provided.

Golf for charity

The West Sacramento Foundation's annual 444 Golf tournament is scheduled for Aug. 14 at Lighthouse Marina Golf Course, with a shotgun start at 1:30 p.m. The foundation supports community charities. For more information on playing or sponsoring, call Merrin Gerety at (916) 641-1500 or visit www.westsacramento-foundation.org.

Adopt a kitten

The Yolo County Animal Shelter is looking for homes for an abundance of kittens received this spring. Visit the shelter at 41831 Gibson Road in Woodland, weekdays 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. or Saturdays 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Shelter adoption policies require permission from a landlord if you do not own your own residence.

Classes: Chinese & more

The Sagely City of the Dharma Realm at 1029 West Capitol Ave. is scheduling classes in meditation, Tai Chi, Great Minds of the West, Chinese calligraphy, beginning Chinese and traditional Chinese orchestra. A Buddha Dharma Assembly is scheduled for Sundays at 9 a.m., including a vegetarian lunch. For information, call 374-8268.

Police & Firefighters' Gala

West Sacramento's police and firefighters' associations have scheduled their annual black tie gala for Sat., Sept. 20, from 6-11 p.m. at the General Services building (ziggurat) at 707 Third Street. There will be a catered dinner, auction and dancing. Proceeds benefit the Friends Outside and Friday Night Live organizations, the Fire Department's Child Car Seat Safety Program and the Police Department's Mounted Patrol Unit. Tickets are $45 per person; sponsorships are available. Call Penny Miceli, 372-2461 ext. 254, or Carol Leonard, 371-1177.

Food giveaway

The Food Bank of Yolo County will distribute food to eligible West Sacramento and Clarksburg residents on July 26 from 8-9:30 a.m. at the county building on Jefferson Blvd.; from 9-9:45 a.m. at the Sam Combs Activity Center; from 8:30-9:30 a.m. at the Yolo Housing Authority, 685 Lighthouse Dr.; and 10-11 a.m. at the Clarksburg Firehouse. Commodities may include veggie beans, apple juice, refried beans, macaroni, milk, pears, tomato sauce, raisins and pudding. Please bring a bag. For eligibility information, call 530-758-6821.

Rummage sale

The Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 9498 in Bryte, has scheduled its annual rummage sale for Aug. 2 at 1708 Lisbon Ave. Table rental is $5. Refreshments will be sold. Call 371-9126 for information.

Midnight basketball

Kids age 12-18 are invited to free "midnight basketball" play on Saturday nights from 9 p.m. to midnight, beginning June 21 at Golden State Middle School. Sponsored by the West Sacramento Police Department. Participation waiver is required. Call Officer Estrada, 372-2461 ext. 153.

Gospel music

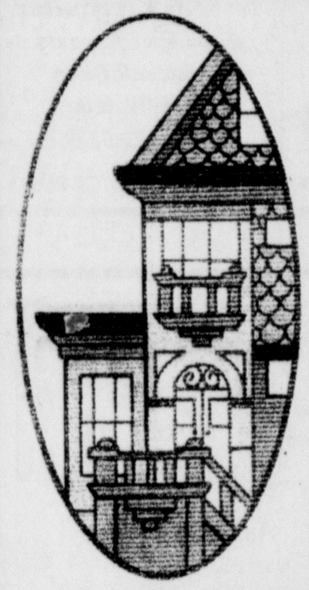
Anna Street Baptist Church has room for 90 guests at a worship service featuring the gospel music of "Initial Nucleus" on Sun., July 27. The worship service begins at 11 a.m. An offering will be accepted. For information, call 371-6560..

Holy Cross Fest

Holy Cross will hold its 50th annual festival on Sat.-Sun. Aug. 2-3. There will be games, music, family fun and food. Music will feature the Magestys and David Perez & Tejano Gold. 1321 Anna St.;call 371-1211.

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Answers to Sports Quiz (p. 3) & Puzzles (p. 8)

Answers

1. Rey Ordonez had 101 errorless games in 1999-2000 for the New York Mets.
2. Von Hayes had 46 doubles to lead the National League in 1986.
3. Roy Jefferson in 1968-69.
4. North Carolina State in 1975.
5. New Jersey's Martin Brodeur (1997-98, 1999-2000, 2000-01, 2002-03).
6. Dale Earnhardt and Mark Martin.
7. Jelena Dokic beat her 6-2, 6-0.

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Rational Numbers *answers*

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Differences: 1. Pajamas are solid. 2. Skateboard has been added. 3. Flowers beside house. 4. More musical notes are shown. 5. Boy's shirt has stripes. 6. House has shutters.

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